

STRONG DEMAND ON CROP LOANS IS PRESENTED

Committee Calls on President In Appeal For Consideration

BRINGS TALK OF SPECIAL SESSION

Southern Farmers Say Heavy Losses Faced If Action Not Taken

By The Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—President Roosevelt refused to take a public stand today on a suggested special session of the congress in the fall to take up farm legislation.

Asked at a press conference if he was in sympathy with the move in the senate where 40 senators have signed a petition favoring an extra session in October, the President said that was up to the senate.

Simultaneously at the capitol, Speaker Bankhead, Majority Leader Rayburn (D-Tex) and Chairman Jones (D-Tex) of the house agriculture committee, told a caucus of approximately 60 farm state representatives that they saw no necessity for a special session. They assured the meeting that such legislation would be made the "first order of business" when congress convenes in January.

Each said they would assure President Roosevelt and congress as well as farmers, that crop control legislation would be enacted in time to apply to next year's crops, except winter wheat.

Appealing to the group not to press for immediate action on a crop control bill, Speaker Bankhead said:

"We don't want any more patchwork farm legislation."

At his press conference, President Roosevelt told one inquirer he had not as yet received sufficient assurances about enactment of crop control legislation to warrant him to authorize loans on this year's cotton crop.

At his last Tuesday's press conference the President had said crop production control, invalidated by the supreme court's AAA decision last year, would have to return before federal price pegging was resumed.

In response to another special session question, Mr. Roosevelt smiled and said it was an easy one to answer: That he was not considering calling the senate in special session the day after congress adjourns to consider a supreme court nomination.

While talking to the congressional group, Speaker Bankhead said President Roosevelt planned to urge "no large amount" of legislation at the 1938 session. He indicated that legislation designed to stabilize farm prices would be the most important from the administration's standpoint.

The caucus voted to call upon the house and senate leaders to directly assure the president that farm legislation would be given the right of way in January and ask the chief executive in turn to assure congress that he would grant crop loans and subsidies to "prevent a major collapse" in farm prices.

The president later discussed farm legislation and cotton and corn prices with Chester C. Davis, farm member of the federal reserve board.

Davis said many pending farm proposals were discussed but no conclusions reached.

The board member said the problem would require a great deal of study before a satisfactory proposal is worked out. He added he was still for the agricultural adjustment act idea.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Increasing demands for federal crop loans led today to the possibility of a special October session of congress to consider general farm legislation.

President Roosevelt may call such a session, said Democratic leader Barkley, if the senate agriculture committee is ready to present a detailed crop control and price stabilization program urged by Senators La Follette (Prog-Wis), Shipstead (FL-Minn) and Lundeen (FL-Minn) who joined 37 senate Democrats in the plea.

Secretary Wallace will lead a squad of top-ranking farm administration officials into the corn belt in the next two weeks to discuss next year's soil conservation program.

They also may take up general farm legislation, including the "ever-normal granary" which the President and Wallace contend must be tied in with crop loans.

The senate and house agriculture committees decided a week ago to abandon farm legislation.

Southern senators and representatives, however, expressed concern over a slowly falling cotton market and the possibility of a huge crop. They advocated federal help to guarantee a cotton grower 12 cents a pound for his yield.

Call On President
Committee talked to Mr. Roosevelt.

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GRAVES FOR ONES DYING OF CONTAGION

By The Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Aug. 6.—Striking grave-diggers were ordered by their union leader today to dig graves for the burial of all persons who died of contagious diseases as the strike for recognition and higher pay moved through its second day.

All other burials were held up and the bodies either placed in mortuary receiving vaults or in cemetery mausoleums awaiting final interment after the strike is settled. Ten temporary interments were made yesterday and approximately that number of funerals were held today.

Ray England, president of the American Federation of Labor affiliate involved, made the exception in the "no grave-digging" policy. He said progress was made in negotiations with employers.

PLANES BOMB A BRITISH TANKER AND ITALIAN SHIP

Air Attack Is Made Off The Algeria Coast Near Spain

MADRID, Aug. 6.—Warplanes of unstated nationality bombed the British tanker British Corporal and the Italian steamer, Mongioia today off the coast of Algeria, near war-torn Spain.

The tanker reached Algiers safely, with none of her crew injured. The Italian ship, bombed a few hours later, flashed an SOS telling of the attack. Neither ship was bound for a Spanish port.

Monoplanes dropped forty projectiles and when the crew tried to take to boats, the planes sprayed the decks with machine gun fire.

Both Spanish government and insurgent planes are based within striking distance of the scene of the bombings.

In the war area, insurgent commanders admitted today that a powerful siege force, including the re-juvenated Catalan army, virtually has encircled insurgent Generalissimo Francisco Franco's upper Aragon stronghold, Huesca.

Government troops were reported facing "almost impregnable" insurgent fortifications on three sides of the city and government air squadrons were blasting it from the skies.

Insurgent artillery again pumped explosives into Madrid, killing several persons and wounding others.

Communiques from both sides reported demoralization in the other. Insurgents declared Gen. Jose Mija, commander of government troops in Central Spain, was to be replaced because of the failure of his offensive west of Madrid. Government reports said Franco had resorted to mass executions because of uprisings in his army, particularly among Moors on the southern front.

In London, the non-intervention committee, unable to break a deadlock over plans to isolate the Spanish civil war, arranged for a vacation.

Insurgent Spain's new ambassador to Germany, Rear Admiral the Marquis Antonio De Magaz, expressed Franco's "immense gratitude" to Adolf Hitler when he presented his credentials at Berchtesgaden. Der Fuehrer's summer home.

Frontier dispatches continued to predict the impending fall of Santander, last government-held Biscayan port, against which the northern insurgent army has driven from Bilbao.

Twelve Killed by Bombs
CUENCA, Spain, August 6.—(AP)—Five Spanish insurgent airplanes bombed this government-held city today, killing 12 persons and wounding a score.

Three pursuit ships guarded the bombers during the raid, the first on Cuenca, this eastern front city, since the civil war began.

Government officers said an insurgent drive westward toward Cuenca province had been stopped because of lack of roads to permit quick troop concentrations.

Planes Out in Search
ALGIERS, Algeria, Aug. 6.—(AP)—Three French planes were sent out today to search for three monoplanes, marked with Maltese crosses which bombed and machine-gunned the tanker British Corporal and presumably, attacked an Italian steamer in the western Mediterranean today.

The British Corporal reached here only slightly damaged.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Mrs. E. M. Cole, 1204 South Lamine avenue, was admitted for medical treatment.

Ira Smith of Smithton, who has been a patient at the hospital six weeks has returned home.

Thomas Walch Operated On
Thomas Walch, manager of the Swift and Company plant at Hastings, Neb., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Walch of West Third street, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis at a hospital in Hastings Thursday afternoon. He is getting along satisfactorily, according to word received by his parents today.

AMERICANS AT HANKOW ASKED TO SEEK SAFETY

Reported Fleeing Across Yellow River For Refuge In South

ZERO HOUR NEAR IN SINO-JAP WAR

Clash Appears Imminent Along China Wall North of Peiping

PEIPING, Aug. 6.—The month-old Chinese-Japanese undeclared war approached today what military observers called a "zero hour" before expected widespread hostilities.

Opposing forces along the Peiping-Hankow railroad seemed rapidly nearing a collision. To the north of Peiping a clash was considered imminent along China's great wall.

The threat of conflict spread to the central China city of Hankow, and Americans were reported fleeing across the Yellow river to safety in the south.

Japan poured men and munitions into the trouble zone. China rushed central army units from Hankow to the north. Prepared for conflict, Japan evacuated 2,500 Japanese citizens from the Hankow area, leaving only 500 civilian Japanese males and a garrison of 300 troops.

Japan's war minister told parliament more troops were being rushed to north China. He said the empire might be forced to abandon its policy of "non-aggravation" if Chinese attempt to recover the conquered Peiping and Tientsin area.

Japanese Foreign Minister Koki Hirota assured parliament the United States government is "carefully guarding against reported attempts to enlist American aviators for the Chinese army."

The Japanese navy tore into the task today of withdrawing its nationals from Hankow.

All Japanese in Japan's Hankow concession and nearby areas were ordered to concentrate at the Yangtze river waterfront for wholesale evacuation, which was to be completed tonight. River steamers are carrying the Japanese down to Shanghai.

Three hundred Japanese marines were ashore at Hankow. Chinese troops in and near the city were estimated at 30,000. Japanese marines and Chinese infantrymen in full war kit were facing each other across the barricades only the width of a street apart.

Call Americans to Withdraw
The United States consul-general at Hankow, according to dispatches to Nanking, advised all Americans in that part of his consular district north of the Yellow river, to withdraw southward to places of safety.

This action followed closely an official Japanese intimation that the north China zone of hostilities might extend southward to the Yellow river, the natural boundary between north and central China.

In troubled Hankow itself were about 100 Americans, with several score more in mission centers near.

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SALES TAX DRIVE ON IN FULL SWING

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 6.—A drive on sales tax payments delinquent under both the old 1/2 of 1 per cent and 1 per cent law is in full swing in the attorney general's office, it was learned today, coincident with the checkup on all retail business in the state announced by State Auditor Forrest Smith.

More than 6,500 merchants certified to the attorney general's office as delinquent in payments under the sales tax law, about 3,500 cases have been disposed of either by suit or settlement out of court, figures in the attorney general's office show.

The other 3,000 are pending or being filed as rapidly as three stenographers can prepare them. New certifications also are being made by the state auditor.

A member of the attorney general's staff estimated today that 530 such suits had been disposed of in Kansas City.

About 1,200 are being made ready for filing in St. Louis, it was said. The situation in Springfield was described as "good" with more than 100 cases disposed of, and a like estimate was made for Joplin and Jasper county.

In St. Joseph more than 250 cases have been settled. An additional 73 were filed there this week.

Other estimates on the number of suits disposed of, including both the cities named and their counties, were: Hannibal, 50 or more; Columbia, 20; Sedalia, 15 to 20; Poplar Bluff and Cape Girardeau, 18 to 20; Maryville, 25; Boonville, 20; Fulton, 40; Mexico, 15; Marshall, one or two; Trenton, "a few," Nevada, 10.

Amounts of the suits range from "a few cents" to several hundred dollars.

"We want to clean up every sales tax to the time the 2 per cent sales tax law went into effect," said G. H. Bates, sales tax supervisor.

B. P. W. C. HOLDS PICNIC SUPPER

The Business and Professional Women's club held its regular business meeting at the Water Works grove Thursday night. A picnic supper served at card tables placed on the grounds, preceded the business session, which was presided over by the president, Miss Hazel Palmer.

The program was an informal one, in charge of Miss Juanita Young, and consisted of talks on vacations, already taken by members, or those planned.

LET PEOPLE TALK ON REFERENDUM

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 6.—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark said today he was "willing to let the people of Missouri do the talking" on the proposed referendum on the cent-gallon hike in the gasoline tax.

The governor indicated the series of statements and counter-statements between himself and opponents of the tax increase was at an end for the present so far as he is concerned.

"I am confident the people of Missouri, both in the city and the country, will rally to the support of their highway system if the referendum is held," he said.

JUDGE J. F. CRATER IN REALM OF THE LEGALLY DEAD

Has Until Evening To Step Forth and Reclaim Identity

By ROGER D. GREENE
NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The shadowy figure of Supreme Court Justice Joseph P. McKenna, missing for seven years, drifted today into the eerie "half world" of the legal dead.

His fate—whether murdered, a suicide, a victim of amnesia, or a fugitive from fears connected with his political career—remains one of the most baffling enigmas in New York crime annals.

If alive, the brilliant, but eccentric, jurist has until this evening to step forth and reclaim his identity.

For it was on August 6, 1930, seven years ago tonight that Justice Crater arose from a gay dinner with friends at a Times Square restaurant, stepped alone into a waiting taxicab and rode away into the darkness.

Ever since, investigators have searched to the four corners of the world. Clue after clue has been hunted down, in vain.

His wife, or widow, Mrs. Stella M. Crater, was prepared to go into court to have him declared legally dead—under the "Enoch Arden" law which derives from Alfred Lord Tennyson's poem of the shipwrecked mariner who returned from an absence of many years to find his wife re-married and the mother of another man's child.

Mysterious as was the disappearance of Justice Crater—with its never clearly defined hints of lethal political intrigue and the dignified Tammany jurist's known association with characters on the "Gay White Way"—parallel cases still claim attention.

Perhaps the most celebrated was the disappearance of Dorothy Arnold, Bryn Mawr graduate and the daughter of wealthy and socially prominent parents, on December 12, 1910.

Then 25, apparently without a care in the world, Miss Arnold dropped from sight after purchasing a book entitled "An Engaged Girl's Letters" at a Fifth Avenue book store. Her father spent a fortune in a world wide search for her.

Baffling, too, was the case of Dr. Charles Brancati, wealthy Italian physician and stock broker, who walked out of his house in historic Gouverneur Morris mansion, in the Bronx, on November 19, 1928, and was never seen again.

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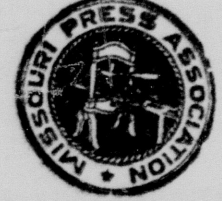
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A. F. L.-C. I. O. OUTLOOK

John Lewis is prepared to drop United Mine Workers' charges against A. F. L. President Green in return for a working agreement on industrial labor leadership, according to a recent report from Washington.

The general idea is to avoid stepping on each other's toes in unionizing plants. In recent months the natural confusion of employers as to which union affiliation, if any, to deal with has pitted these two labor organizations against each other. Lately, the A. F. L., regarded in March as a waning force, has been winning as many new contracts as C. I. O. Humbling Lewis were the steel setbacks and the later coolness from the White House.

While a working agreement between the two factions is not improbable, it does not necessarily mean a formal consolidation of forces. Senator Berry, former Labor League leader, is working on the agreement and is sanguine over success. The harder job of consolidation is being attempted by the President himself. He wants the C. I. O. readmitted to the Federation, with Lewis as chief of mass production division and Green handed a government job. However, the latter plan looks difficult to carry out for at least another year.

Meanwhile, it was revealed by the Labor Department that 4½ million man-days were lost through strikes during the month of June, 300 strikes were in progress on June 1, 575 more started during the month, which ended with 530 still going. This compares with 261 in the beginning of May, 495 started during the month which closed with 456 settled. Thus, more man-days were lost in June than during any 1936 month or 1937 month to date.

WHICH IS THE FASTER?

The French liner Normandie has crossed from Bishop Rock, England, to Ambrose channel, New York, in three days, twenty-three hours and two minutes, the first time the record has been brought under four days.

The French line claims that the Normandie has regained the westward speed record from the British liner Queen Mary. The best westward performance by the mammoth liner de luxe was four days, seven hours and twelve minutes over a slightly longer course, 3,097 miles against 2,906 miles traveled by the Normandie. The Normandie had been especially fitted with new screws to bring about greater speed.

The Queen Mary still holds the record for the fastest eastward passage, three days, twenty-three hours and thirty-one minutes, accomplished August 30, 1936, just six days after she did her best westward passage.

Which is the faster liner? The Queen Mary has never been pressed for speed. The operators say they are uninterested in this. They say they wish to know on what schedules to operate their mammoth craft. It is not unlikely, however, that the Queen Mary will surpass the Normandie's best.

Both of these liners have greater speed than the two German greyhounds of the sea, the Bremen and the Europa. France built the Normandie after Germany had produced the fastest liners in the North Atlantic trade. The British liner Mauretania had held the undisputed championship for years. This great liner went to the junkman before her usefulness was ended, for the merging of the Cunard and White Star lines brought under one flag more craft than could be operated gainfully.

THE SOVIET SMILE

From St. Joseph News-Press.

The edict has gone forth in Russia that all who pose for pictures taken for publication must smile. This edict is, in all probability, a consequence of widespread publicity concerning the sadness of Russian faces. Observers noted that not even the children, at least, in the early days of the Soviet union, seemed to smile. Probably this comment has come to the attention of the authorities, who now seek to create a different impression.

Over the children's theatre in Moscow hangs a huge portrait of Stalin with a child on his lap, both smiling. This sets the pace. Factory foremen urge the workers to smile more, but there is no request about the matter for pictures, it simply must be done.

Robert Louis Stevenson speaks of being condemned to the fashion of the smiling face. He commends it, but he had never heard of it as a government command. Could anything more depressing be imagined than for a whole nation to be ordered to smile? It is like telling a humorist to make a joke forthwith. It works just the opposite from the way intended.

What price are tears in Russia? If the widow of one of the Russian army chiefs, slain so recently, should weep, would the government punish her for her sorrow? If the friends of any of the 3,000,000 peasants who perished by starvation for the sake of collectivism, shed a tear in their memory, could government reprisals be expected?

Russia has never been a cheerful land, from all accounts. It has never been a smiling land, but presto, the Soviets are expected to grin. If their lands are taken away from them, they must smile; if their churches are destroyed, they must look pleased. Are they all to smile at funerals, too?

YARN FALLS THROUGH

It used to be thought years ago that the evidences of the original Americans were to be found in the remains of that people which built the Mounds in the Midwest. But the speculations as to the origin of man in the Americas have broadened in the last few decades. Part of this is due to other discoveries, and part of it to the imaginative flights of those eminent scientists who build detailed pictures of the ancients and their modes of living on the basis of a recovered shin bone or part of a jaw.

We mention this because we see that out near Billings, Montana, the archeologists have found an ancient shelter containing artifacts and other traces of human habitation. We got almost excited when we read that these things might shed light on the origin of man in North America.

The shelter, weathered into a cliff-side and measuring 180 feet by 60 feet, was found seven miles south of Billings by three amateur archeologists; and it was thought the site might provide clues to bolster the theory that man migrated from Asia to North America by way of the Bering Strait and the Mackenzie River Valley in Canada.

Preliminary surveys showed two levels of human habitation—one about four feet under the floor of the shelter and another about four feet lower. On the four-foot level are hundreds of buffalo bones, charcoal, flint knives, scrapers and other domestic implements. The walls contain two types of pictograph, one portraying guns, indicating the authors had come in contact with white men. The lower level, largely rock covered, has not been explored.

Evidently whatever this cave is likely to prove will not be of much interest or concern to those who look for a distant past. Those pictures of guns knock out what promised to be an interesting yarn. Guns are of two recent creation to rank as an archeological find. So far as the Billings find is concerned, we would better go back to the Mound Builders.

The sales tax is a little more direct than many of the others, in that it hits the ultimate consumer without any detours.

Looking Backward

FROM FILES OF THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

FORTY YEARS AGO

Colonel A. L. Strang, the north and south road projector, Wednesday received a telegram from W. M. Walker of Marshall saying that Marshall had raised the \$15,000 asked of the citizens for the Sedalia-Marshall and Miami railroads.

John R. Gentry of Sedalia and A. E. Ashbrook of Kansas City will manage the St. Louis Exposition horse show October 25 to 30.

"JUST TOWN TALK"

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THERE ISN'T anybody
IN THE World
WHO HAS
MORE FUN
THAN FIFTEEN
YEAR OLDS
AND EVERYTHING
CAN BE Turned
INTO SOMETHING
TO LAUGH About
AT THAT Age
JUST FOR Instance
A GROUP
OF GIRLS
ALL ABOUT Fifteen
WERE OUT On
A CAMPING Trip
WHERE BEDS
WERE NOT So
PLENTIFUL
AND THERE Was
CONSIDERABLE
DOUBLING UP
THERE WERE Three
TRYING TO Sleep
ON A Three-Quarter
BED
AND ALONG During
THE NIGHT
SOME TIME

AFTER SLEEP With
COMFORT
HAD REFUSED
TO COME
ONE OF The Girls
THOUGHT OF A
BABY BED
IN THE House
AT LEAST She Wouldn't
BE KICKED
BY THE Others
SHE THOUGHT
SO SHE Rolled Out
THE LITTLE Bed
PUT A Fresh Sheet
ON IT
AND CURLED Up
IN IT
"I WAS Pretty Cramped"
SHE SAID
"BUT A Rolled
BLANKET
AT THE Foot Of The Bed
KEPT ME
FROM KICKING The
IRON RODS
AND WHEN I Got Up
ONE OF The Other Girls
WAS READY To
TAKE THE Bed
I THANK YOU.

Diet and Health

DR. LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

RELIEVING HAY FEVER SUFFERING

The treatment of hay fever, once an attack is on, is pretty hopeless. The use of eyewashes and nose sprays gives a little temporary relief; a substance called ephedrine dropped into the eye helps most people more than anything else, as do ephedrine sprays. But this is only temporary and not complete at that.

Hay fever, we know, is caused by the pollen in the air—in the fall, pollen from ragweed is the plant almost always responsible. So prevention by using vaccines made by dissolving this pollen in simple salt solution has been a logical method of treatment. The vaccines must be used very weak at first in order to accustom the body to the material, so this treatment should be begun some time before the season starts. I would advise all hay fever patients to try this method, for when relief occurs it is practically complete, but such relief is not obtained in all cases.

These patients than must choose between enduring the attack, having an air filter in the bedroom and workroom, or going on a vacation.

Air filters or air conditioners are available in many forms and to fit nearly any purse. If a room is kept closed so that all the air that enters it passes through a filter which catches all the pollen, any hay fever patient will be comfortable so long as he remains inside, but this is hard to do continuously for six weeks.

Vacations Not Long Enough
Vacations which last out the

whole hay fever season are also too long to be practical for most people. The heaviest pollen fall, however, occurs in the twenty days from August 20 to September 10, and a vacation during these dates will get one out of his worst suffering.

Where to go? Well, the hay feverites themselves found that out, each for his own locale, long ago. The New Englanders go to the White Mountains, most middle westerners go to Northern Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota or Canada, or to Colorado or California, and the southerners go to El Paso or the seashore.

Most of these resorts advertise themselves as hay fever refuges, and some physicians think they overstate their claims. When a Great Lakes resort says, "You are practically immune from hay fever at—" that is about as far as they can go with perfect truthfulness. But some of them go further and say, "No sneezing at—" or "Ragweed and other pollens simply cannot reach—". There is no place fit for a vacation which ragweed pollen simply cannot reach if the wind is in the right direction. But the amount is very small in the localities mentioned, and for all practical purposes the claims are justified.

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

It is better to dwell in a corner of the house, than with a braving woman in a wide house.—Prov. 21:9.

See?

"Well, dear," said Blair, after dinner, "what are you planning to do tonight?"

Mrs. Blair shrugged her shoulders. "Nothing special," she replied. "I'll probably write a letter or two, read, listen to the radio, and so on."

"I see," the husband answered. "When you come to the seavon, don't forget my shirt buttons."



RELEASED BY CENTRAL PRESS ASSOCIATION

By VIRGINIA SCALLON

READ THIS FIRST:

Sandy and Marcia had met quite by accident near the home of the girl's grandmother in southern California. He is an advertising executive who has just established his own firm and she is a talented commercial artist employed by a rival firm in Los Angeles. After a week they met again. When Marcia showed so much enthusiasm for her work that Sandy felt her love for him is secondary, they parted in a huff and returned to Los Angeles separately. Led to believe she is to be taken into the firm, Marcia is disappointed when she finds that one Wait Hartley has become the new partner. Although Marcia had sent Paula Stoddard, an art student, to Sandy for a job, she became jealous when Sandy hires the girl, Hartley, whom Marcia has been seeing occasionally, largely out of spite for Sandy, persuaded her to join her friend, Ellen and his wife, Tony.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:

CHAPTER 17

MARCIA was at a loss to understand why she'd agreed to go to Santa Anita with Wait, Ellen and Tony. She tried to excuse her weakness by thinking she owed it to Ellen not to spoil the party, but realized it had been no more than a compromise gesture to keep Wait from making a scene at the Grove the night before.

As they fought the crowds driving along the wide boulevards to the races, Marcia caught a glimpse of the magnificent plant, nestled at the foot of the hills. Turning in the vast parkway, they left their car with several thousand others and walked eagerly toward the tremendous pink-toned grandstand and clubhouse. The enthusiasm of the crowd about them was contagious, and already Marcia caught hurried mention of a "tip on the third race, sure thing!"

"Bet on Martel in the fifth!" "Black Knight's a long shot due to come in."

As they left the motley throng and headed for the more aristocratic clubhouse she felt a quickening of the pulse. Beautiful women, lavishly costumed; handsome men casually wearing sports-wear worthy of the Sunday rotogravure. She turned to Wait, and was surprised at his attentiveness.

He was saying to Tony: "Tony, I've got to win today. Last week was disastrous, but I think I can pick a few winners out of today's entries. Have you any tips?"

"Couldn't say, Wait. These days there are more tips than there are horses in the races. Everybody knows the jockey or the owner or the horse, personally. Me, I think woman's intuition is as good as anything else."

Marcia preferred Tony's sporty attitude rather than Wait's greedy concentration on winning. Once in the clubhouse and seated in their box, the girls looked about. "Look, there's that Lilli Bronte again. Remember her Marcia? She was at that well look, she's with Lona von Brecht here too. Did you ever see such clothes?"

Marcia followed her gaze and nodded. "Her regular retinue of men, too," she said noncommittally. Eagerly she scanned the boxes and recognized women whose faces were consistently reproduced on society and movie pages, parading like peacocks in their brilliant plumage.

"Look here," Tony told them. "We came here to watch those things down on the track, not these clothes horses. Here's a racing form, Marcia. Let's see you pick a winner."

DINNER STORIES

Taken for a Ride?

Guest: Do you operate a bus between the hotel and the railroad station?

Manager of Fashionable Hotel: No, sir.

Guest: That's strange. All my friends said you would get me coming and going.

For many years he was a bene-

amazed at the total amount of the bets already placed on this first race... \$50,000, and the crowd was just beginning to bet as they saw the way the odds were going. "Well, I'll pick them on paper. But I'm holding on to my money." Said, unwilling to be one of the majority who would have to lose. Let's see, Dark Cloud, Mary's Boy, Scotch-and-Soda, Oh, I'll take that one. It ought to have plenty of kick."

The men had gone to place their bets with the cashiers, and Ellen while they watched the high spirited horses being coaxed into the stalls of the mechanical starting gate.

"There they go!" In a loud and thrilling voice the announcer reported the beginning of the race, as Tony and Wait joined the girls just in time to see the thoroughbred race past their box, a flying track of colors, followed by the tumultuous yells of the spectators. As first one horse then another took the lead, she heard spectators jump up and down and yell the name of their mount into the blue sky. "They're coming down the stretch, it's Armetta, a driving finish—it's Armetta, ahead, now Alasca. And here comes Scotch-and-Soda on the outside, and he WINS! Wins by a length!"

Wait disgustedly tore his tickets in two. "Well, there's \$25 nicely dropped. They'll have to get the searchlight to guide my horse in. With a scowl he consulted the chart for the next race entries, then looked up as the crowd's acclamation a big pay-off recorded on the tote board. Sixty-three dollars rewarded the backers of Scotch-and-Soda.

"Why Marcia, isn't that the horse you picked?" Wait whirled around, demanded. "Why didn't you tell me about that horse? You knew I was betting this race. Where's your ticket, I'll collect for you."

"I only picked him, I didn't put any money on him," she said almost apologetically. "Well, of all the—," he began, then shrugged. The next three races were equally disastrous for Wait, although Tony had one winner, twice Marcia had mentioned a choice, and one had proved a winner, the other came in second.

On the seventh race Wait played \$5 across the board on Hotwater, a 5 to 1 favorite, and nervously suggested they go into the clubhouse for a drink while the race was run. "It's my last \$5, and I don't want to see that mare run out on me."

At the bar Tony figured up his losses at \$12 and Ellen was ahead \$2.60 after one winner. Marcia still laughingly refused to be a part of the gambling circle, claiming it was too hard on the nerves. "I'd just as soon draw my money with a pencil."

Wait was nervous, anxious to get back and find the results of the race, when a noisy crowd of people came in. "Did Hot Water win?" Wait called excitedly. "Yes, by a whisker," came the answer.

Wait sank back with relief, but in a moment was off to collect his winnings. Marcia thought she had never seen a man so intent on money and wondered why he gambled if he couldn't afford to lose with better grace.

"Here he comes, waving a hand full of bills," laughey Tony, his hand still cupped over Ellen's. "Looks as if you're a winner this time, boy."

Wait came back, and with a grin admitted, "Eighty-nine dollars' worth. That puts me practically even with the board."

"Do you mean to say you'd lost \$90?" Marcia asked.

"Yes, but look here Marcia,

What They Say

Julian H. Bagby (Mayor)—You're head of that department—that problem is your headache.

Damon Hieronymus (who plans to play in the long distance golf match at the Sedalia Country Club Sunday): Does anyone know where I can get a pedometer? I would like to know how far I will walk.

The Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. Who is the new king of Egypt?
2. Which two signers of the Declaration of Independence later became presidents of the United States?
3. What does the Spanish word "manana" mean?

Hints on Etiquette

It is not customary to tip airline hostesses. Appreciation may be shown by mailing an impersonal gift, such as a box of candy, after the trip is over.

Words of Wisdom

Nothing is so indicative of deep culture as a tender consideration of the ignorant.—Emerson.

Today's Horoscope

Persons whose birthday is today are philosophically minded. They seek to learn the causes of things about them.

One Minute Test Answers

1. Farouk I, who has just ascended the throne on coming into his majority.
2. John Adams and Thomas Jefferson.
3. Tomorrow.

Almanac Information

August 6, birthday of Lord Byron, poet, born 1809.



RELEASED BY CENTRAL PRESS ASSOCIATION

By VIRGINIA SCALLON

You've been lucky picking winners. I'm going to give you the lot to bet in this last race for me."

"No, you're not. I won't have it," she looked away. "I haven't an idea who's going to win this one. No."

"I heard you tell Ellen you had a choice in this race, you can't get out of it. Even Tony here admits women are dynamite picking winners. You put a dollar of your own with it for luck, and let's ride a winner. I'll give you half of the pay-off." With true gambler's spirit, Wait was trying to push his luck on the strength of Marcia's peculiar good fortune.

"Sure, if he's willing to take a chance, what can you lose?" Tony urged her, entering into the spirit. Even Ellen got excited and urged her to do it, "for a lark."

Marcia looked hesitantly at her racing form. Red Sunset was the horse she'd chosen, for no other reason than the beautiful red skies on that afternoon when Sandy had first proposed.

"Well, but if I lose—" "You won't, if you place the bet with your own hands," he said, superstitiously. "Here's the money, that's what I'm going for me!"

In somewhat of a daze, Marcia walked toward the betting windows. Once up to the "win" window, she backed away. No, she couldn't risk so much. Maybe she should choose him to place, or to come third? In a panic she deliberated what to do. Should she face the possibility of losing Wait's money, when he was obviously so avacarious? No, she didn't dare. Besides, the horse was quite a long shot; probably hadn't a chance. Resolutely, she pocketed the money, and determined to give it back to Wait as soon as she reached his side.

But the race had started before she edged into the box. Wait disregarded her gentle tug on his coat sleeve. "There they go around the turn. Where's Red Sunset? Son-of-a-gun—oh, there he comes!"

"I didn't—" Marcia started to tell him she hadn't bet, but he gave her no chance. "He's on the outside gaining like the devil. Look at that baby run. Boy, look at it!" Then he gave an ear-splitting yell, "Come on, Red Sunset!"

Marcia began to feel faint as she saw Red Sunset gain on the field. What if he should win? He wouldn't, he couldn't—but he DID! "We've done it, we've done it. Oh, Marcia!" the man lifted her bodily from her feet, and whirled her about in delicious excitement. "Boy, was that a hunch, to let you pick 'em. Why, what's the matter?"

Marcia slumped down on the chair, black waves of nausea blinding her. In a fog she heard someone scream, "Red Sunset pays \$250 to win," and with lightening clarity she figured that these odds of 13 to 1 would have increased Wait's \$90 to well over a thousand!

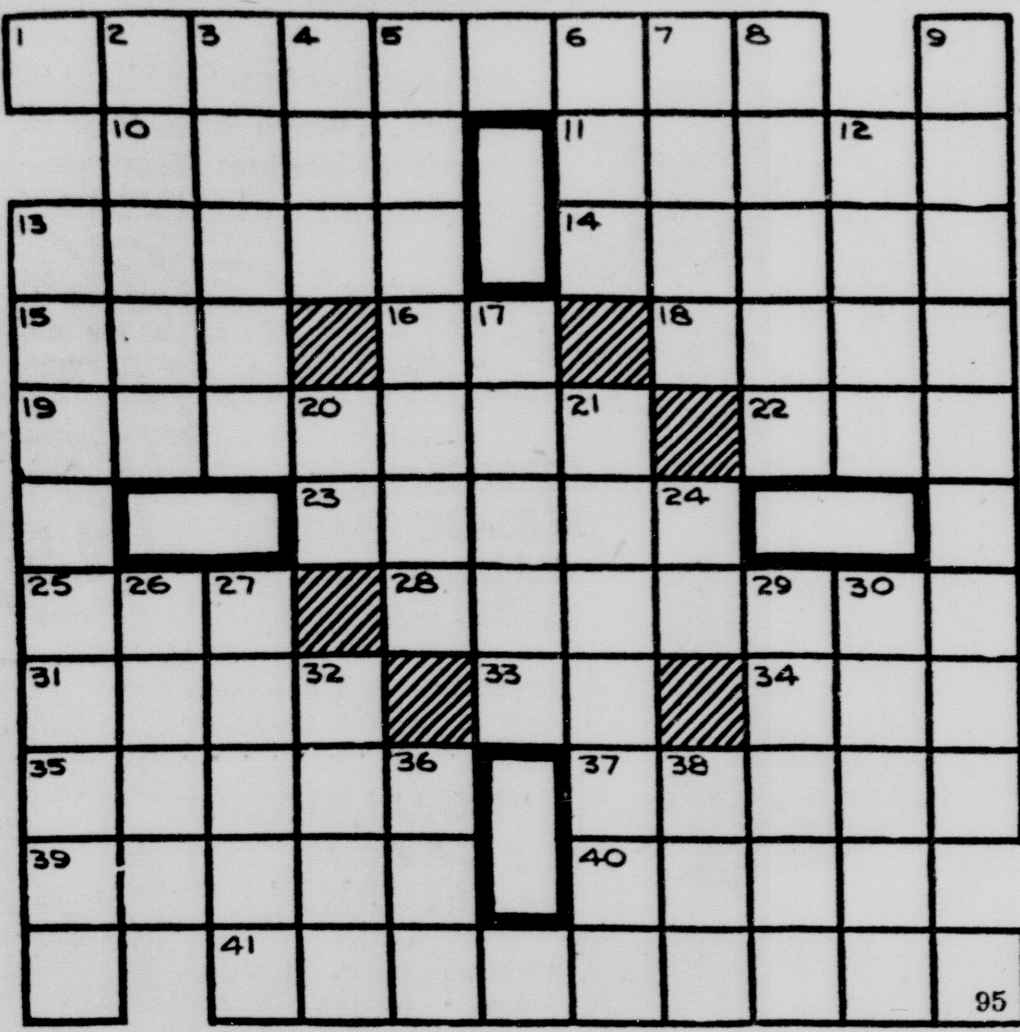
"I—I didn't bet your money. Wait. I was afraid to risk it, honestly I was," she said weakly when she could get her breath. For a minute she thought he was going to strike her, so great was his disappointment. "Here, here's your \$90—" she fumbled wildly in her purse. Gone! Frantically, she turned the contents of her bag upside down, went over each item. "It's gone. Somebody must have picked my pocket. Oh, Wait—"

And frightened tears burned her eyes.

"So, that's the way of it. You didn't bet it, and yet you don't have it. You kidding me, Marcia? Hand me those tickets!"

(To Be Continued)

DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE



- ACROSS**
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11—Gleam 33—Thus
13—Ho there! 34—Form of the
14—Stirs 35—Thin cakes
15—A single unit 36—Title of
16—Depart 37—Arrives
18—Preserve 38—Desert
19—Damon's 39—Plants
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25—The cry of a harpoon
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- DOWN**
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4—Sick 9—Settles again
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- 1 SHEAVES
2 DREAM
3 INERT
4 EAR
5 SPARE
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9 OVAL
10 LEE
11 PRE
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13 EBB
14 BIT
15 TOY
16 LORD
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19 GO
20 CENSE
21 WHEEL
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23 GENTEEL
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FURTHER GAINS IN RETAIL TRADE

NEW YORK, Aug. 6—With hot weather spurring demand for summer goods retail trade volume established further gains in many areas during the past week, Dun & Bradstreet said today in their weekly review.

All leading centers of distribution reported larger sales than for

UPSWING FOR RETAIL PRICES

CHICAGO, Aug. 6—An upward swing in retail pork prices was in prospect for housewives in the middle west today as quotations for hogs on the Chicago market soared to \$13.65 a hundred pounds, the highest level in 11 years.

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

Marriage Date Announced

Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Hutcherson, of Windsor, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her sister, Mariap Virginia Callison to Mr. J. K. Tippie, of Portland, Ore.

The marriage will take place at the bride's home, near Windsor, Saturday night, August 7.

Announcement Party

Mrs. Alvius T. Bradley, of Windsor, entertained with a dinner bridge at her home in Windsor Thursday night to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Virginia Callison to Mr. J. K. Tippie, the latter of Portland, Ore. The marriage will take place at the Callison home, near Windsor, Saturday night, August 7.

The Bradley home was lovely with bouquets of garden flowers throughout the rooms and on the small tables, where guests were served, the centerpieces were cosmos. As the plates were placed before the guests on each was a rose bud, to which was tied a scroll containing the poem:

"A secret—can you guess it?
Well I will now disclose it,
And say it with a rose,
Virginia and Tippie
August 7, 1937."

A two course dinner was served and a "bride's cake" was cut by Miss Callison.

The evening was then spent in playing bridge, awards going to Mrs. C. L. Gillilan, for high score, Mrs. Shirk Kidwell, traveling award, low to Miss Juanita Berry and a special gift was given Miss Callison.

Mrs. Bradley's guests were Miss Callison and her three sisters, Mrs. C. N. Hutcherson, Windsor, Mrs. C. L. Gillilan, Warrensburg, and Mrs. Ruth Riley, Sedalia, Mrs. Tom Kee, New Bloomfield, Mrs. Shirk Kidwell, Windsor, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Miss Susan Harbut, Miss Juanita Berry, Miss Eva Evans, Miss Edna Snell and Mrs. Mildred Faulkner, Sedalia.

Dow-Bowers Wedding

Mrs. Juanita Gaines Bowers, of Leonard, Mo., and Ralph W. Dow, well known Pettis county farmer, were married Thursday night by the Rev. A. A. Halter, district superintendent of the M. E. church, at his home, 232 South Grand avenue. Attending the ceremony were the groom's son, Ralph Dow, Jr., and Mrs. J. A. DeJannette, and members of Rev. Halter's family.

The couple left for a wedding trip to New Mexico, Colorado and Yellowstone Park, and upon their return, in about two weeks will be at home on the groom's farm at Georgetown.

Mrs. Bowers, now Mrs. Dow, is district deputy for the Royal Neighbors of America, and has frequently visited friends in Sedalia.

Celebrated Tenth Birthday

Little Miss Rosalee (Buddy) Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gardner of 1918 South Stewart avenue was the guest of honor at a birthday party given at her home Wednesday from 1:30 o'clock until 4:30 by her mother. Games were played and prizes went to Teddy McAnally, Jean Lucke, James Phillips and Junior Lucke.

In the center of the dining room table was a large birthday cake bearing ten pink candles. C. B. Lucke, Favors of candy balls on rubber strings were presented each child.

The following guests were served cake and ice cream: Rene Galbreth, Jean Lucke, Eleta Marshall, Joan Dick, Mary Ann Seigrist, Charles Seigrist, Genevieve Dick, Donny Jean Alcorn, Dorothy Dick, Teddy McAnally, Libby Franke, Barbara Curry, Bennie Curry, Alma Jean Hall, Lewis C. Taylor, Junior Lucke, Little Jim Phillips, Virginia Mergen and Rosalee Gardner.

Mrs. Gardner was assisted by her sisters-in-law, Mrs. C. B. Lucke, Mrs. Jim Phillips and Mrs. E. A. Lucke.

Little Rosalee was remembered with a number of pretty gifts.

Old Friends Club Picnic

The home of Mrs. Pauline Clark and daughter, Miss Edna, was the scene of a happy gathering Wednesday night it being the annual picnic of the Old Friends club, also honoring one of their members, Mrs. Lon Leiter who will soon leave for Excelsior Springs to join her husband and to make her home in that city.

The following members and their families were present: Mr. and Mrs. Hagemeier, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gill, Mrs. Ida Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schlupe and daughter, Miss Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Brown and sons, Earl and Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crawford, Mrs. Pauline Clark and daughter Edna, Mrs. Lon

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Birthday Party

A number of guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith, 507 South New York avenue, Thursday afternoon in honor of the ninth birthday of Joan Smith.

Guests were Mrs. Roy Perry and grandson, Bobby Henderson, Mrs. Zella Burnett and Verna Lee Burnett, Mrs. Helen Lewis, son, Michael, Walter Pummill and Doris Dean Kreisel, Sarah Lawson, Norine Louck, Nathan Walker, Melva Rose Summerskill, Edith Elizabeth Burnett, Mrs. Fay Ritchey and son, Ellis Fay.

Mrs. Zella Burnett and Verna Lee are of Texarkana, Tex.

Assisting Mrs. Smith in serving refreshments were her three daughters, Josephine, Dorothy and Doris.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM OVER THE STATE

MEXICO, Mo., Aug. 6.—(P)—Harry Householder, long-time Republican leader and prominent Audrain County farmer, died at his home north of here late yesterday. He was 73 years old.

MOUND CITY, Mo., Aug. 6.—(P)—Two persons were killed and two others injured in an auto-train collision on a grade crossing near here last night.

Ira Artman, 30, and Carl La Velle, 35, workers on a reclamation project at Cornish, Mo., died instantly. Clarence Dobb, 28, and Ed Bacon, 32, both of Cornish, suffered scalp lacerations and were taken to a St. Joseph hospital.

RICHMOND, Mo., Aug. 6.—(P)—Robert Martin, said by officers to have been shot and wounded in a tavern near here yesterday, died several hours later in an Excelsior Springs hospital. Ray County authorities are holding a man for investigation in connection with the shooting.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 6.—(P)—Couples recently married in Sullivan County have a 50-cent refund coming on their license to wed. This ruling was given late yesterday by W. A. Holloway, chief clerk in the state auditor's department. One hundred fifty-seven couples are affected. Each couple was charged \$2, while the ordinary fee for a license is \$1, with an extra 50-cent charge if an affidavit is required.

CHAFFEE, Mo., Aug. 6.—(P)—A new \$55,000 shoe factory built by the community and to be paid for out of the wages of employees, was in operation here today. Ninety persons are employed, with about 35 to be added weekly until the employment reaches between five and six hundred.

NEW COMMERCIAL PACT WITH SOVIETS

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—President Roosevelt proclaimed today a new commercial agreement with Soviet Russia by which that country agrees to purchase at least \$540,000,000 in American products during the next year.

This is an increase of \$10,000,000 over the amount of goods the Soviet government obligated itself to buy in this country by a somewhat similar agreement which expired on July 12.

In return, the United States granted unconditional most-favored-nation commercial treatment to Russia for the first time.

This means it will give that nation the benefit not only of all tariff concessions but of all other commercial privileges and advantages it accords to other countries.

The state department said the new compact became effective on August 4 with an exchange of notes at Moscow between Ambassador Joseph E. Davies and Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet commissar for foreign affairs.

It described the agreement as "evidence of the intention of the Soviet government with respect to trade with the United States to continue to pursue policies and take actions in harmony with the purpose of the (American) trade agreements act."

State department officials said granting most-favored-nation treatment is expected to have the effect of exempting Soviet coal and coke from a special American tax assigned against such imports under the revenue act of 1932.

Soviet Russia reserved the right to terminate the new agreement on 30 days' notice after January 15.

JUST A LITTLE BELOW FREEZING AT POLAR CAMP

SOVIET NORTH POLE CAMP (By Wireless to Moscow, Aug. 6.—(P)—The temperature here today was nearly four degrees below freezing, with an overcast sky limiting visibility to one and two miles.

The thermometer reading was 28.4 degrees Fahrenheit.

Snowbirds, a mother and two chicks, surprised the polar campers.

During June and July the floating camp site drifted seventy-six miles.

P. T. A. Gave Social

The ice cream social given by the Centerview P. T. A. was well attended. Everyone enjoyed the delicious home made ice cream with plenty of home made cake.

A nice sum was realized. The proceeds will be used for the school.

Finsler's Comet May Be Seen In The North Sky

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The nucleus is situated in the head and is small and starlike.

Most comets come from far beyond the earth, pass around the earth and recede to the distances from which they came. About three comets are seen each year. Many are seen only once.

Any timid souls who might have anxious moments over the proximity of the heavenly body need have no fear. In 1910 the earth passed through the tail of Halley's comet and, with the possible exception of those noticed by scientists awaiting the phenomenon, no effects were appreciable.

Even if the entire comet were to strike the earth the worst effect would be a shower of meteors. Every year, during November, there is such a shower of meteors composed of the remains of a comet. Every 33 years, when the once brilliant comet pass d the earth the shower is particularly noticeable.

Cole Camp Items

Miss Eudora Thompson of Calhoun, Mo., who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Otten returned to her home Sunday evening.

William Lee Daws returned to his home in Kansas City Friday after several week's visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bloomcamp.

Mrs. Josephine Nichols and two daughters of Sedalia spent Saturday evening with Cole Camp relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lumpee of near Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lumpee, daughter, Martha Ann, visited Saturday and Sunday in Carrollton, Mo., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lumpee.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Otten, son James Robert, visited in Calhoun, Mo., Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rambow of near Lincoln, visited in the home of Mrs. Arndt Schnakenberg Sunday evening.

Miss Johnny Meyer of Sedalia spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brauer and son, Leo Edward.

Mr. Otto Goetz of Seattle Wash., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Frisch and Mrs. Zora Winchester Thursday and Friday. Mr. Goetz is a nephew of Mr. Frisch. It had been 32 years since they had seen each other. Mr. Goetz also visited relatives and old time friends in Stover, Mo.

"Pinky" Goetz of Ozusa, Calif., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Beyer Friday.

Miss Mabel Harms and nephew, Leon Tucker, Jr., of Sedalia, are visiting this week in the home of Mrs. Kate Harms and daughter, Pauline.

Miss Anna Goetz, R. N., of St. Louis, who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Beyer the past couple weeks left Saturday for Sedalia where she visited before returning to her home.

Walter Burke of Marshall, Mo., visited the first of the week with his mother, Mrs. Anna Burke.

Mrs. Louis Bloomcamp visited in Kansas City Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hy Freund and family.

Misses Helen and Lillie Kreisel arrived home Saturday from a month's visit in the state of California with relatives and friends.

Mary Jo Nichols of Sedalia is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Schwensen and daughter, Sylvia Lee.

Catherine Marie Schmidt of Sedalia is visiting this week in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mayme Meyer.

Mrs. Harold Junge and daughter, Carol Lou, are visiting in Marshall, Mo., with Mrs. Junge's parents.

Mrs. H. T. Ferler of Kansas City spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tucker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirby and two daughters of Maplewood, Mo., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tucker over the week end.

Miss Mildred Meyer of Lake Creek neighborhood underwent an operation in Bothwell hospital in Sedalia Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor, Jr., left Sunday for Leadwood, Mo., after a visit with home folks.

Mrs. Laura Kreisel, Mrs. Jim Calfee, Mrs. William Heerman and Joe Calfee motored to Sedalia Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rogg and Miss Lola La Velle of Windsor, visited in the home of Mrs. Stella La Velle and family Saturday evening.

Miss La Velle is employed at the Dr. Moffett home.

Mrs. Mollie Bates who has been a patient in the Bothwell hospital

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Fly Spray Qt. 50c Mineral Oil—Heavy Pint 25c
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35c Vicks Vapo-Rene 59c 500 Sheet Windsor Tissues .. 21c
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25c Mercks Stearate Zinc 19c 25c Carter's Liver Pills .. 19c
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in Sedalia the past few weeks was brought home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bresee of Warsaw, visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Stella La Velle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Zimmerschied daughter, Myrna Loy, Mr. and Mrs. Othello Smith visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fair Smith and family of Boyler's Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eckhoff, and daughter, Doris Jean, visited Sunday in Houstonia, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kreisel and family.

Mrs. J. N. Ragland who was a patient in Bothwell hospital in Sedalia the past ten days was able to come home Saturday.

Miss Stella Schnakenberg of Mt. Hilda, visited in the home of Mrs. Arndt Schnakenberg from Thursday until Monday.

Misses Edna and Lola Kreisel of Houstonia, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eckhoff returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Vickrey of Stover, were callers in the C. H. Frisch home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Clarence Grisle, son, Henry of Higginsville visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tobaben.

Dr. Harry Bay motored to Sedalia Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Beyer visited in Sedalia Friday.

H. T. Ferler of Kansas City spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tucker's home. Mrs. Ferler accompanied him home.

Miss Kate Stuhman of Windsor, Mo., visited Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor.

LODGES

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. will meet in stated communication, Friday, Aug. 6th at 8:00 p. m.

All Master Masons invited.
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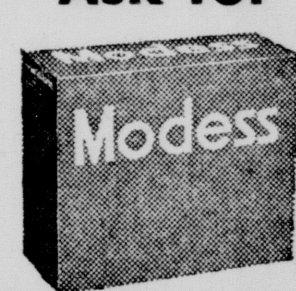
SON TURNS UP AFTER A BODY "IDENTIFIED"

BRINKLEY, Ark., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Evelyn Carter enjoyed a reunion with her son, Herman, today after

she had identified as his a body found floating in a barrow pit five miles from here.

Yesterday morning she made the identification. A few hours later Herman arrived home, for a visit.

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FARMER TAKES 'WILD MAN' INTO CUSTODY TODAY

Terrorizer In Barry County Taken To Jail By His Captor

By The Associated Press.
CASSVILLE, Mo., Aug. 6.—A "wild man" who for 10 days has terrorized farmers and successfully eluded posses after having wounded two Barry county men who sought to arrest him last week, was captured this morning by a farmer and brought to the county jail here, his hands roped behind his back.

The fugitive gave his name as Andred Salitros, 49, and said he is a native of Indiana. He told Sheriff Mal Johnson that he had been in the Ozark hills, which he seemed to know so well, only about 60 days.

He was captured without difficulty at 6 o'clock this morning by Guy Rich, 50, farmer and former deputy sheriff, at the Rich farm home four miles southwest of Washburn. He was unarmed and offered no resistance.

Salitros had been terrorizing farmers by appearing at their homes and forcing farm women to prepare him meals at the point of a shotgun.

Offered No Resistance
Rich, who resides with his elderly parents on the farm, had read about the "wild man" being sought, recognized him and quietly obtained his pistol while Salitros ate breakfast. When the meal was concluded Rich informed his "guest" that he was under arrest. Unperturbed Salitros submitted and did not resist when Rich obtained a rope and secured his hands behind him.

Rich then placed his prisoner in a motor car and drove to Cassville where he turned his prisoner over to the sheriff.

Sheriff Johnson said Salitros readily admitted he was the man sought. He was suffering from a pistol bullet wound in his left leg, the result of an encounter with officers last week in which he wounded Carl Blankenship, grandson of Sheriff Johnson, in escaping.

Salitros talked little this morning. He said, according to the sheriff, that he came here about two months ago in order to "get away from people" and to be "let alone." He said he had been living in seclusion in the hills, subsisting principally upon wild berries and fruits and vegetables he obtained from gardens.

Once a day, according to the prisoner's story as related by Johnson, he went to a farmhouse to obtain "one good meal." Johnson said the man told him he had discarded his shotgun "because it was old."

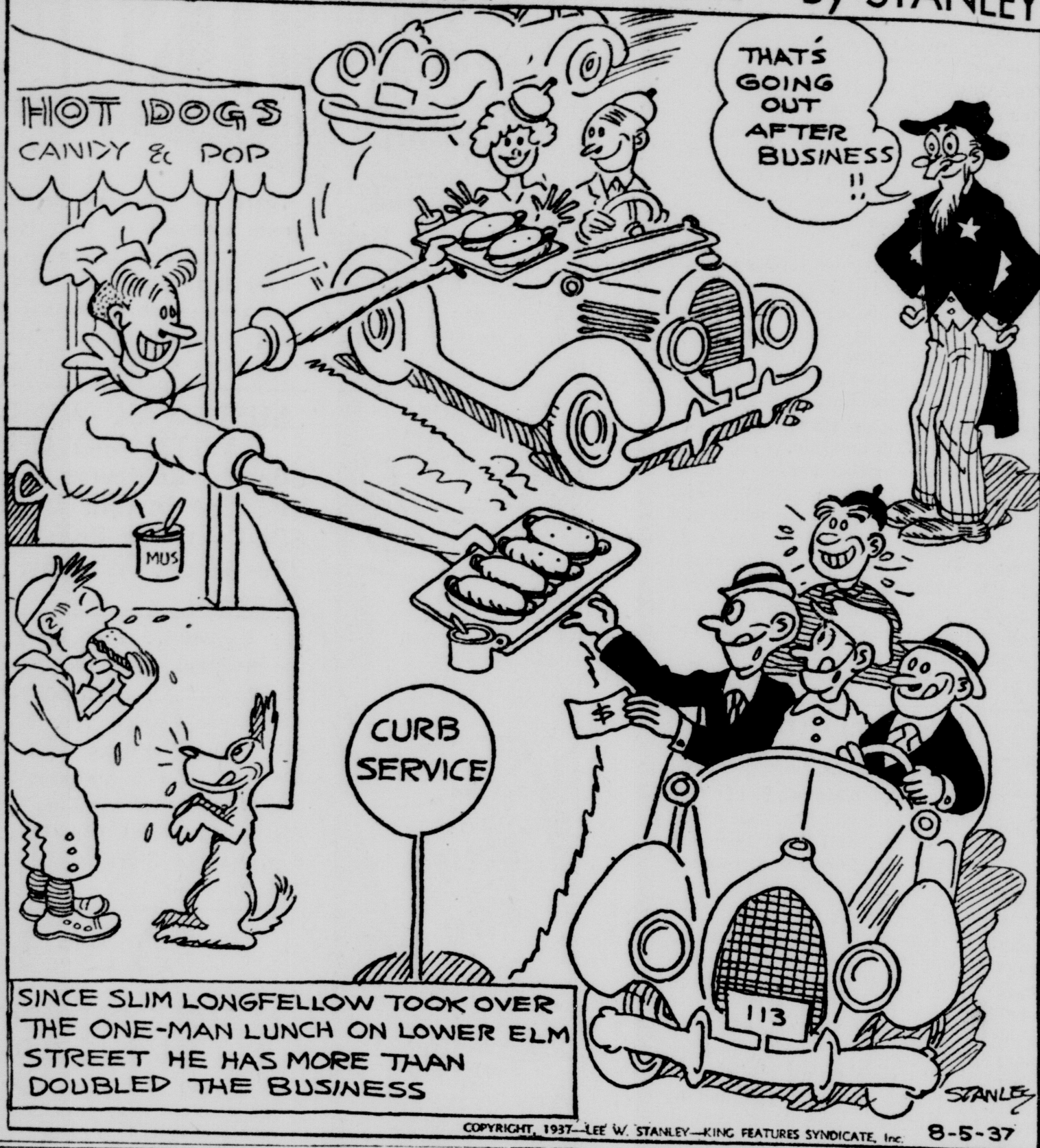
COUNTY OFFICERS ARE ON WAY HOME FROM OHIO
A telegram received at the county jail this morning from Sheriff W. L. Marlin from Decatur, Ill., stated he was then in that city en route home and expected to arrive late this afternoon or evening. With him are his deputy, Clyde Coppers and Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned, and it is believed Edward Dorst, for whom the officers went to Newark, Ohio. Dorst is wanted here to answer a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the death of our beloved son, William F. Hilden. Also we thank Rev. G. C. Greenway, the pall bearers, singers and those who sent flowers.
Mr. and Mrs. John Hilden.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

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By STANLEY



DEATH PENALTY IN SLAYING IS ASKED

GREENVILLE, Mo., Aug. 6.—A jury composed entirely of farmers today had been selected for the trial of Downey Westmoreland, 64-year old saw mill operator of Patterson, charged with murder. Westmoreland allegedly shot and killed Everett Wilcox, 26, a truck driver, last April 7, during an argument over a load of slabs.

Prosecuting Attorney Roy W. McGee, in his opening address to the jury, demanded the death penalty. Fifty witnesses have been summoned for the trial which is expected to continue through tomorrow.

More than 400 persons crowded into the small court room in the Wayne county court house this morning before officers closed the doors due to limited seating facilities.

AUTO PRICE HIKE ON AUGUST 9

DETROIT, Aug. 6.—The Chevrolet Motor Car Co., a division of General Motors Corporation, notified dealers today that prices of its automobile and truck models would be increased by \$30 effective Aug. 9.

Reports in trade circles said the Pontiac division would increase prices approximately \$45. Other General Motors units announced contemplated increases yesterday.

The Buick division disclosed today that the amount of its increases, which will be effective Aug. 9, will be \$45 to \$100.

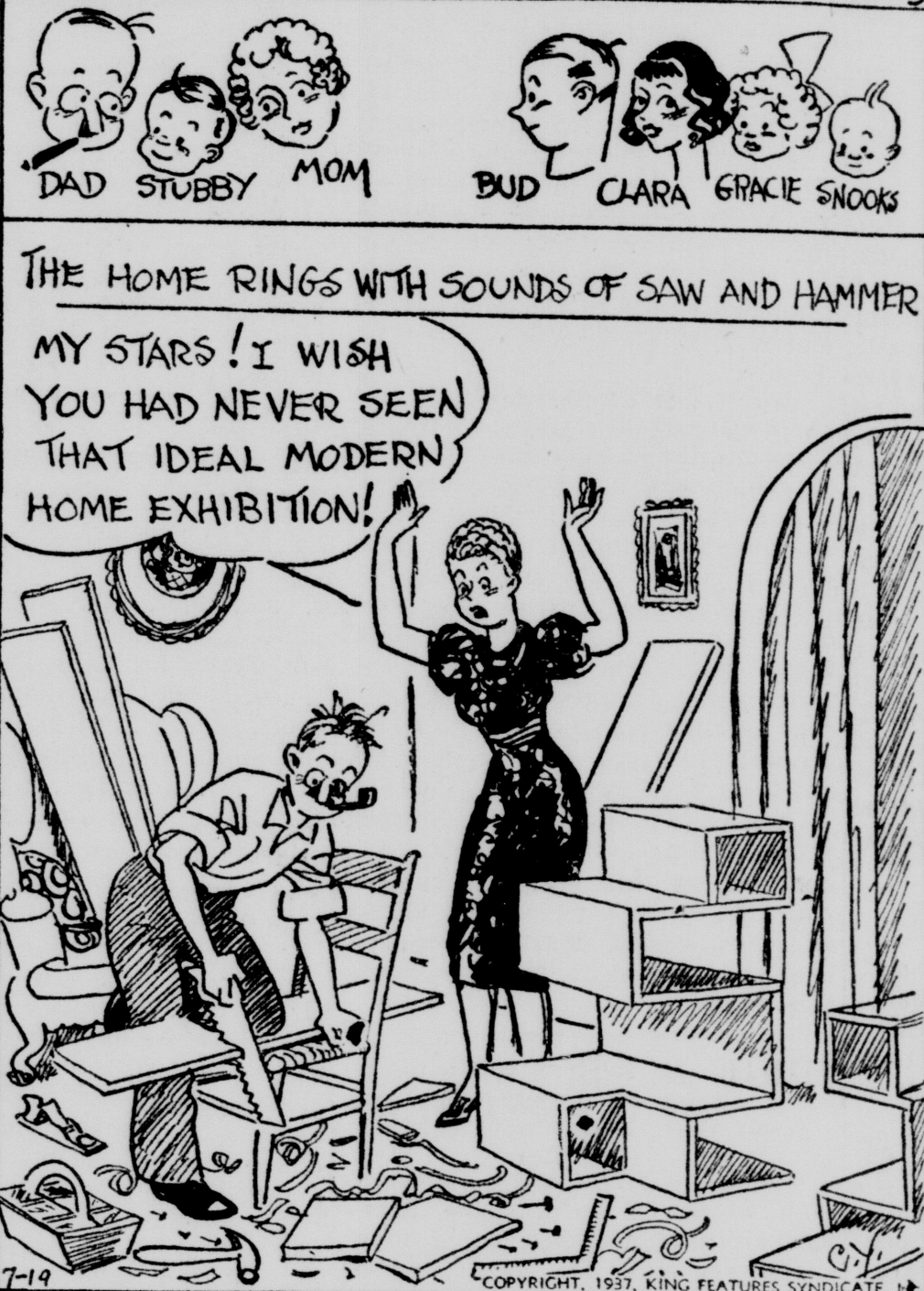
NO COMMENT BY STEWARD ON LISTS

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 6.—V. H. Steward, state motor vehicle commissioner, declined to comment today on Attorney General Roy McKittick's announcement he was "looking into" Steward's reported sale of Missouri automobile registration lists.

The attorney general said yesterday he would confer with Steward.

THE TUTTS

By Crawford Young



ard, although he pointed out informally the sale of registration lists is not prohibited by law. No arrangements for a conference have been made.

McKittick said Leslie J. Eggers, president of the Multi-Mail, Inc., of St. Louis, a company which resells the list to clients, had complained to him that he had been unable to obtain lists recently.

GUARD AT STATION AS PRISONER ARRIVES

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 5.—Eight officers, all heavily armed, stood by today as Harry Blee, accused in a Neosho, Mo., bank holdup, arrived by train today at the union station—where five were slain in 1933 during attempted seizure of a prisoner.

Blee, indicted for the \$20,000 holdup of the First National Bank of Neosho in March, 1935, was arrested July 19 in Los Angeles.

Roy Webb, deputy U. S. marshal, said he was the last of the Walter (Irish) O'Malley gang.

Blee will be held in the county jail, awaiting trial.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

Ralph W. Dow, Sedalia, and Juanita Gaines Bowers, Leonard, Shelby county, Mo.

LADIES DRESSES \$1.00, MEN'S SUITS 75c

Men's wash suits 50c. Call us today. Phone 512. Parsian Cleaners.—Adv.

EDICT TO TAMMANY TO "CLEAN HOUSE"

By The Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—An edict to "clean house" in Tammany, issued by Chief Justice Christopher Sullivan in a move to purge the hall of rebellious elements, stood out today in the wigwag's bitter internal feud over the new deal.

Behind that struggle, political observers saw a fight to the finish between two Tammany titans—James J. Walker, debonair "Mayor Jimmy" in New York's roaring late twenties, and former Governor Alfred E. Smith, the "happy warrior" of bygone days.

The fight was brought to a head by Leader Sullivan's attempt to bring to heel insubordinate Tammany chieftains opposed to support United States Senator Royal S. Copeland in the primary mayoralty campaign.

"They're either behind Copeland or they're out," was Sullivan's succinct ultimatum last night.

Senator Copeland, a critic of the Roosevelt administration, has been endorsed by a Smith and a Tammany majority. A powerful minority faction, however, in which "Jimmy" Walker's name daily looms more prominently, openly said it would support the new deal candidate—first Grover A. Whalen, now former Judge Jeremiah Titus Mahoney.

ALLOTMENT ON COMPENSATION ACT

By The Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The social security board announced today first allotment to Missouri for administering unemployment compensation laws.

Missouri received \$208 for the period from June 17 to 30 and \$53,995 from July 1 to September 30.

GABLE OFFERS RULES FOR THE PERFECT WIFE

The man who has had the love-liest wives on the screen, Clark Gable, now comes forth with a list of qualities a woman should possess to be the perfect wife.



Gable concocted the list while he and Jean Harlow were at work in scenes in "Saratoga," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's drama of racing and the turf which opens next Tuesday at the Liberty theatre.

Gable's rules for the perfect wife are:

She must be a pal and enjoy the things her husband enjoys.

She must have a good sense of humor and must laugh at the right time.

She must not complain too often about pipe ashes on the floor.

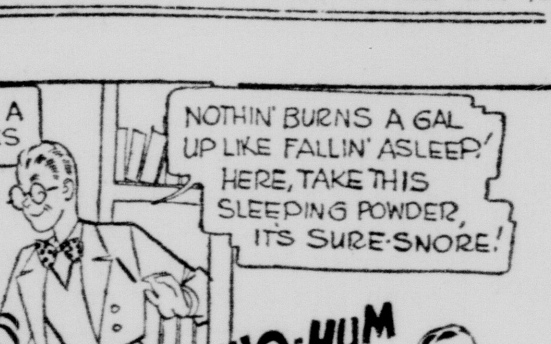
She must know precisely the menus hubby likes and give him his favorite dishes at least once a week.

She must dress well, as he wants other men to admire her.

"And there are a lot of others, too," laughed Gable. "Only I can't think of 'em all."

ATE, SLEPT AND ACTED ON TRAIN

For one month a Hollywood motion picture company lived on a French train.



Because of the scenes demanded by the script it was necessary for them to live the regular life of train travellers. They ate, slept and played on the studio train.

Because of this fact it was necessary for the production staff of "Espionage" to supply the train with food, linen, conductors, porters and passengers that would be similar to those found in a French train crossing Central Europe from France.

Because the script also included scenes in the train kitchen, it was discovered that it was easier to have the food for the dining room

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love strikes at first sight but at the same instant unseen death strikes once... twice... and again!
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IT'S TRUE! By Wiley Padan

CLARK GABLE LIVED 100 YEARS AGO!!... A RESEARCH WORKER IN MASSACHUSETTS DISCOVERED A YELLOWED MANUSCRIPT DATED AT BOSTON, DEC. 10, 1833. INScribed - "FROM CLARK GABLE AND OTHERS TO NORTH BOSTON BANK."

JEAN HARLOW IN "SARATOGA," M-G-M's FAMOUS RACE TRACK PICTURE.

BEAR FLAG GRANDSON OF THE FAMOUS MAN-OF-WAR, WAS CAST FOR AN IMPORTANT EQUINE ROLE IN M-G-M's "SARATOGA."

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FRANK MORGAN'S OLDER BROTHER RALPH CHANGED HIS NAME FROM "YUPPERMAN TO MORGAN" - SO FRANK HAD TO CHANGE HIS TOO, WHEN HE WENT ON THE STAGE.

New York, N. Y.—"IT'S TRUE! that of all the stars in motion pictures, Clark Gable's autograph has been chosen as a permanent record for posterity in the Washington Bicentennial Autographed Stamp Collection," says Wiley Padan.

"Gable's autograph will repose beside the signatures of Presidents Roosevelt, Hoover and Coolidge; every member of their cabinets, every member of the U. S. Supreme Court, every active senator and governor, and scores of other eminent citizens!"

scenes prepared in the train kitchen than in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio commissary.

Director Kurt Neumann, like Director John M. Stahl, believes that it helps the players when scenes are shot in sequence. For that reason when they arrived on the set in the morning he had Edmund Lowe, Madge Evans, Paul Lukas, Ketti Gallian and Skeets Gallagher begin the morning scenes on the

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Can Spinach25c	Chickens, fryers, 2 1/4 to 2 1/2 lbs. live weight—each...69c
Morton's Iodized salt 2 boxes 19c (Soaring Serpent Free!)	Meat Loaf—2 lbs.35c
FANCY PINK SALMON...15c	Boiling Beef, lb.15c
Peas, No. 2 can10c	ASSORTED LUNCH MEATS 29c
2 large Post Toasties and 1 Post Bran—all for...25c	PICNIC HAMS, Swift's27c
Swans Down Cake Flour...27c	BACON, whole or half33c
5 lbs. Energy Flour25c	Country Gentleman Sweet Corn—doz.23c
Large Rinsu 23c and small at 1c	Fancy Elberta Peaches 4 lbs 25c
Powdered Bon-Ami—2 for...25c	Fancy Elberta Peaches, Bu. \$2.25
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ETIA KETT

PHIL still is trying to make PAM mad so she'll give him the air and break their engagement.

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NOTHIN BURNS A GAL UP LIKE FALLIN' ASLEEP HERE, TAKE THIS SLEEPING POWDER, ITS SURE SNORE!

NO-HUM.

OH, BOY! I CAN HARDLY KEEP MY EYES OPEN.

CRASH

WHERE AM I? WHAT HAPPENED?

YOU FELL ASLEEP WHILE DRIVING AND HIT A TREE! YOU'LL BE OUT IN A FEW WEEKS.

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PERSONALS

Miss Melva Renicke of Kansas City is visiting Miss Kathryn Fay, 616 West Fifth street.

Mrs. J. A. Owens, and daughter, Miss Martha Lee, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are visiting relatives and friends.

Danny McGurran and "Bob" Behen returned home Wednesday morning after spending several weeks in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Zoernig and children, Bobby and Billy, and Miss Ruth Haring left for Minnesota for two weeks this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Brough Wright and son, John Glenn of Kansas City, are guests of Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. C. M. DeVaughn, 211 East Seventh street.

John Poundstone of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Poundstone and other relatives, left to return here today.

George Griest and niece, Betty Jean Truitt, of 321 West Sixth street, have returned home after a visit of several days with relatives and friends in St. Louis.

Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church and Mrs. Kokendoff, will return today from a trip to Chicago and while away Rev. Kokendoff also visited in Kentucky.

Mrs. Harvey L. Keens left for Stover Thursday to be a guest of Mrs. Arthur Klang at Klang's cabin on Crystal Lake for several days. Mrs. John Z. Montgomery is also a guest of Mrs. Klang there.

Mrs. L. A. Brill and daughter Larry Lou, the latter born in St. Joseph's hospital, Booneville, Tuesday, July 27, returned home Thursday night and are at their home, 514½ South Kentucky avenue. Mr. Brill motored to Booneville for them.

Miss Elberta Jean Bardwell, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Blanche Bardwell of Independence, Kas., the past month, has returned home, accompanied by Miss Blanche who is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Bardwell, 215 West Tenth street.

SAYS FARLEY INVITED TO HEAD SALES BODY

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 6.—The Buffalo Evening News said today Postmaster General James A. Farley had been invited to "head the sales organization or possibly become the executive head" of the Pierce-Arrow Motor Corporation.

No official of the motor company, whose main office is here, could be reached for comment.

Later today President A. J. Chanter of the Pierce-Arrow Corporation, asked by newsmen about the Farley report, said:

"You'll have to talk to Mr. Farley about that."

He had no other comment.

Goes to Lincoln Store
Miss Norine Woodruff, who has been saleslady at Sages', has recently a transfer to Lincoln, Neb., where she will be in a store of the Le Leon Millinery Company.

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OPERATIONS HALT AT PANTS PLANT DUE TO STRIKE

Women Fight and Pull Hair at Oberman Factory in Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 6.—A United Garment Workers' Association strike today halted operations at the Oberman Pants Manufacturing company plant here, throwing an estimated 1,000 employees, mostly women, out of work.

W. R. Brooks, Kansas City UGWA organizer, who came here early this morning to direct the strike, said "All we want is recognition—we're not asking for anything else."

The strike call, issued after a meeting of UGWA leaders which lasted from 1 to 5 o'clock this morning, brought two-score women employees, UGWA members, out of the corridor of the plant in which they had been camping day and night since Wednesday, when they reported for work and found their time cards had been removed from the racks.

A notice on the plant bulletin board informed them the Springfield Oberman Employees' association, described by its leaders as an "independent union" and by UGWA members as a "company union," had signed a closed shop contract with the company, and that they could not work unless they joined.

One joined. The rest camped. Early this morning, the campers came out to form the nucleus of a picket line which extended for half a block in front of the plant. Pickets were also posted at the plant's side and rear doors. The line in front was composed almost entirely of women, with a few men, also UGWA members, scattered here and there.

Hankow, with its sister Wuhan cities of Wuchang and Hanyang, lies on the Yangtze some 600 miles south of the north China zone of conflict, on a direct line. It is the Chinese troop concentration point and southern terminus of the 754-mile railway from Peking, down which the Japanese have advanced some 40 miles southwest of Peking.

NANKING, Aug. 6.—China's capital verged on war fever tonight. A Nanking air defense association bought gas masks, trained its members, and told the people what to do in the case of bombs or gas attacks.

Such simple directions were necessary because most of Nanking's more than a million people do not have the money for masks.

"Be prepared," said one city-wide slogan, "the enemy airplanes are expected to drop bombs momentarily."

Thus actual preparations for participation in the month-old undeclared war spread afar from its Peking cradle.

Apply Enlistment Law
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Secretary Hull announced today that the law against foreign enlistment of Americans in this country would be applied "consistently" in any situation that may arise in connection with the present Sino-Japanese strife in north China.

Hull made his statement at a press conference in answering an inquiry as to whether this government was taking any action to discourage enlistments.

A short time before Chinese Ambassador C. T. Wang had called on Hull and discussed the far eastern crisis with him.

There have been reports that an attempt was being made to enlist a number of American aviators to fight with the Chinese army against the Japanese. The statute strictly prohibits such activities on pain of fine and imprisonment.

In the senate, meanwhile, Senator Lewis (D., Ill.), introduced a resolution to request of Secretary of War Woodring a report on whether the American troops stationed in China should be kept there.

Want China To "Really Fight"
BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 6.—Boise's Chinatown offered aid to the motherland today—in event of war with Japan—but did it on the condition that China "really fight."

"We in America, one Oriental leader explained, "are tired of sending money just to carry on an argument that doesn't get China any place."

New Arrival Named

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chavis of St. Louis, parents of a daughter born July 25 at Deaconess hospital there, have named her Jo Ann Chavis.

Mrs. Chavis was formerly Miss Frances Woodson of Sedalia.

D. Kelly Scruton III
D. Kelly Scruton, reporter for the Sedalia Democrat, is confined to his home with a severe sore throat.

While the conference went on, plant officials issued paychecks to the workers inside and outside the building. By noon, the crowd in front of the plant had thinned.

Most of those remaining were in the picket line.

Foremen told departing workers to return Monday, ready for duty, indicating the officials would not attempt to operate the plant tomorrow.

OBITUARIES

Otto H. Otten

Otto H. Otten, aged 89 years, whose birthday was Wednesday, died at 11:40 o'clock this morning at his home, 208 South Lamine avenue, following a long illness.

Mr. Otten had an unusually active career in military, music and other endeavors and was known as Sedalia's oldest musician.

Born in Hanover, Germany, August 4, 1848, on reaching young manhood he enlisted in the Twenty-second regiment of the German army and fought in the Prussian war being promoted to a lieutenant during that conflict.

Coming to America in 1870 he joined a sister, Mrs. Francke, at Cole Camp and after a brief time there came to Sedalia and was employed as a blacksmith by H. Kuesel, and after the passing of his employer Mr. Otten succeeded to the business on South Lamine avenue, which he conducted up to his retirement several years ago.

When the Spanish-American war came on he enlisted with the Second Regiment band of which C. F. Hartenbach was director and remained in camp with members of that body until in April, 1899 when he was discharged owing to disability.

Returning to Sedalia he followed blacksmithing for a period of years and played with the Second Regiment band during the activities of that body of musicians.

Relatives surviving are only nieces and nephews as follows: Henry Francke, Cole Camp, Rm. 10, Sedalia, Herman Busch, Denver and Martin Busch, Kansas City.

Complete arrangements have not been made for the funeral but services will probably be Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Lutheran church, of which he was a member.

The body was taken to the McLaughlin Funeral chapel.

Frank Paulus

Frank William Paulus, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Paulus, 502 East Second street, died at five o'clock Thursday evening at his home. He had been afflicted with a septic infection of his throat since Saturday but his condition had not been considered serious.

He was born November 1, 1913. Besides his father and mother he is survived by his grandfather, W. J. Harbit, of 502 East Second street.

He had been employed in the store department of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad shops here at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff. Pallbearers will be George McLaughlin, Norman Harrison, Thomas Yount, Orville Whittle, Vestal Brock and Garnet Bryan. Burial will be in Windsor.

Adolph E. Schmid

The passing of Adolph E. Schmid, brother of the late Jule Schmid, of this city, at Bay View, Mich., was sudden and due to a heart attack at a hotel there late Wednesday.

Mr. Schmid retired from the advertising department of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch five months ago. He had worked for that publication for a period of 51 years.

Accompanied by his sister, Miss Emily M. Schmid, with whom he resided at 6156 Pershing avenue, St. Louis, he went to the resort July 9 for the first time in years.

Monday he wrote a letter to his brother, apologizing for use of a pencil because he was not feeling well. After luncheon Wednesday he took a nap in his room at the Terrace Inn. He awoke complaining of a sudden illness. It was angina pectoris, with which he had been troubled occasionally for some time. He was 67 years old.

An American citizen, Mr. Schmid was born at Worms, Germany, where his family resided for a few years. He went to work for the advertising department of the Post-Dispatch July 19, 1886, as an office boy—clerk when the office was at 515-17 Market street. On his retirement Feb. 26, he was a department manager in charge of national advertising contracts.

Surviving are his sister and a brother, A. Charles Schmid, a life insurance agent, 5501 Waterman boulevard, St. Louis. Miss Schmid arrived with the body at St. Louis today.

Harry Householder

Harry Householder, aged 73 years, died late Thursday at his home at Mexico, Mo., according to a message to relatives of Mrs. Householder, a former Pettis county resident.

Mr. Householder was a prominent Audrain county farmer and landowner, and in addition to his agricultural pursuits had been active in Republican party politics. He had been chairman of the Audrain Republican county committee since 1922, chairman of the ninth congressional committee since 1932 and a member of the party county committee for a period of forty-five years.

On June 15, 1934, he married a Pettis county young woman, Miss Mabel Stuart of the Beaman vicinity, who with two brothers, Milton Householder of Mexico, and Ed Householder of Hannibal survive him.

A brother, Charles, a former member of the State Board of Agriculture, passed away several years ago.

Funeral services will be held at the Christian church in Mexico Sunday afternoon, the Rev. J. D. Greer to officiate.

Rev. James E. Lilley Dies

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—(P)—The

Rev. James E. Lilley, teacher in St. Vincent's seminary at Kansas City for the past six years, died here today from heart disease. He was a member of the Vincentian order.

Strong Demand On Crop Loans Is Presented

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velt yesterday. The members said he told them he would consider making loans not only for cotton but possibly for wheat and corn if congressional leaders agreed to pass acreage limitation, regulations at once, at a possible special session, or at the start of the next regular session in January.

Shortly afterward the 40 senators offered their petition for an autumn session, contending legislation next winter would be too late.

"A large proportion of the farmers of America," the petition said, "make their plans and begin to prepare their soil during the autumn and winter months."

A forty-first senator—Pittman (D-Nev.)—signed it, but later asked to remove his name. The document, he said, might be construed as interfering with the President's prerogatives.

The demands for agricultural legislation confused the pre-journalism situation. Leaders hope to end the session late this month, as soon as wage-hour, housing, and court bills are enacted.

If a special session is not called, leader said there was one other possible solution of the impasse: Congress could accept a resolution offered by Senators Black (D-Ala.) and Bilbo (D-Miss.) directing the Commodity Credit Corporation to make loans of 12 cents a pound on this year's cotton crop.

Bilbo told the senate yesterday that unless crop control legislation is passed, southern farmers will be "robbed" of millions of dollars by speculators.

Senator Borah (R-Idaho) questioned the consistency of members who sought crop control and at the same time approved the administration's reciprocal trade agreements with other nations which encourage importation of products made abroad by low-paid labor.

For Renewed Crop Loans

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—(P)—The agitation in congress for renewed crop loans has been caused by falling farm prices, which federal economists attributed today to prospective large yields this season.

The price reductions, they said, cut millions of dollars of "potential value" from farm income.

Interested congressmen favor a 12 cent a pound loan for cotton, a loan of about 75 cents a bushel on corn, and from 90 cents to \$1 on wheat.

Cotton has staged the biggest price decline among major farm commodities this year. It climbed above 14 cents a pound this spring and then started downward until it has been below 11 cents at times this month.

URGE ACCEPTANCE OF AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Chairman Jones (D-Tex.) of the house agriculture committee told house supporters of a new sugar control bill they would "be wise" to accept administration views on the legislation.

He made this statement after offering an amendment to strike from the bill a provision restricting refined sugar imports from Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

Sugar bloc leaders, meanwhile, sought to demonstrate they could override a veto with which President Roosevelt said he would return the measure to congress if it included the quota restrictions.

Jones announced yesterday that was the President's position.

"I believe," the chairman said today, "the true friends of this legislation, if they are wise, will accept this amendment. I hope those who do not permit their pride or feeling to control their judgments."

He added that President Roosevelt and the state, interior and agriculture departments "insist upon elimination of this restriction as a matter of principle." They felt, he said, that the restrictive provision discriminated against the islands.

WATCH HAUNTS OF WEIL CLOSELY

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Post-inspectors watched closely today the Chicago haunts of Joseph R. (The Yellow Kid) Weil, king of confidence men, who evaded government agents yesterday at Birmingham, Ala., where for more than a year he had posed as a doctor.

Reputed by police to have taken more than \$10,000,000 from "incautious investors" in almost thirty years, the aging silver-tongued Weil had been sought for nearly two years on an indictment returned in New York, charging use of the mails to defraud.

Petitions a Divorce

Alleging general indignities, Roy Nelson today filed suit in circuit court against Mamie F. Nelson, to whom, according to the petition, he was married January 21, 1916. He asks for custody of their four children.

F. M. Ross is attorney for the plaintiff.

Parents of a Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. John Silsby of Hughesville are parents of a daughter weighing nine pounds born at the Bothwell hospital Thursday afternoon, August 5. The mother was formerly Miss Mavis Shull.

YOUNG PEEVED ON PART OF FUND TO SOLICITORS

Asserts Donation of \$15,000 Not In Hope of Influence

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Robert R. Young, New York railway magnate, told senate investigators today it was "ridiculous" to suggest that he hoped to influence them by contributing \$15,000 to the Democratic campaign fund.

He testified before the senate railroad finance committee that he was "just as indignant as you are" to learn that half of his donation had been taken as commission by the solicitors who sold him 150 Democratic national convention books.

"I would much rather have given \$7,500 directly to the Democratic National committee," he declared heatedly.

"My understanding was that the books cost only about \$20, and that the rest of the \$15,000 would go to the party."

While he testified Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) made public what he said was a letter from a Lancaster, Pa., contractor to the Democratic national committee. It demanded return of a \$250 contribution the writer asserted was made "under veiled threats."

The contractor, D. S. Warfel, wrote he contributed the sum because "I really feared some reprisals might be made if I did not go along."

He said he was doing some work for the Public Works Administration and was told by a solicitor "that it would be to my best interests to 'go along' because everything he did was reported to Mr. Farley's office and was passed on by the 'big boys'."

The letter was addressed to Oliver A. Quayle, Jr., acting treasurer of the national committee.

Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont.) interrupted the senate's rail hearing for the third successive day to question Young about his campaign contribution. The committee is engaged in an inquiry into the youthful financier's plans for reorganizing the huge Van Sweringen railway system.

The senator assured Young that "this is not the only instance" of solicitors taking a "kickback" from donations intended for the Democratic party.

"They went to banks, breweries and lots of other companies," he asserted.

Wheeler then introduced a letter from a New York attorney, Watson Washburn, who said he had been notified that one of the solicitors who approached Young was identified as N. M. Lichtblau.

"On behalf of an aged and indigent client, Mrs. Eva J. Hurst," the letter said, "we have been searching unsuccessfully for two years to find one Nat Lichtblau, who it appears was one of a gang of high-pressure salesmen who secured by misrepresentation our client's last \$12,000 worth of securities."

"Our client has started suit but has hitherto been unable to serve Nat Lichtblau."

Washburn added that he would "greatly appreciate" any information as to Lichtblau's whereabouts and antecedents.

"I would suggest to Mr. Washburn that he contact the Democratic national committee to learn Lichtblau's whereabouts," Wheeler commented.

Quizzed By Truman

Senator Truman (D-Mo.) then asked Young:

"You didn't assume that your contribution would have any effect on this committee, did you?"

"It is ridiculous to suggest such a thing," the witness replied emphatically, explaining that he had not even been summoned by the investigators at the time of his donation.

"It seems to me the only legitimate inference you could get was that this committee might be for sale," Wheeler growled.

"Well, I certainly didn't make that inference," Young retorted.

Charles S. Hayden, executive secretary, told reporters the Democratic national committee had planned publication of a "Democratic register."

Prospectuses issued for the publication offer advertising for \$700 a page.

Hayden said, however, that he anticipated no profits would be realized from the book.

He explained the register was intended as a congressional year book and the 200,000 copies published would be distributed free. The committee, he said, has contracted with a Philadelphia publisher (Baron Trenner) for publication of the book, the publisher to solicit advertising and bear all expense of publication. Any profits, however, would go to the committee.

Hayden said a similar publication was issued last year at an \$1,800 deficit which was paid by the publisher.

The prospectus said the book would contain photographs and biographical sketches of congressmen and articles by cabinet members. A letter to prospective advertisers, accompanying the prospectus, said: "We can not hope to obtain our campaign fund from special interests and must rely upon some such plan as this to supplement aid we had hoped to obtain from another source. Every dollar of the net proceeds derived from the publication of 'The Register' goes into this fund and is utilized for no other purpose."

"It is significant to note that (The

Register) is becoming a gigantic technical survey of the nation's industry by virtue of the vast amount of representative advertising carried, and the fact of the administration's vast construction program, which is definitely increasing the individual business of those organizations recognized by industry and governmental departments.

"We have asked our representative to call on you in the very near future and trust that you will give him your order."

Housing Bill Is Passed 64 To 16 In The Senate

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require senate confirmation of all officers of the house organization making \$4,000 a year or more.

Senators Clark and Truman Missouri voted for the bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The senate reaffirmed today its decision to limit the cost of proposed construction under the Wagner Housing bill to \$4,000 a family unit or \$1,000 a room.

Despite protests from administration leaders that the limit was too low, the senate tabled a motion to reconsider. The amendment was adopted several days ago by a 40-39 vote.

The vote to table was 44 to 39. After a warm debate the senate also voted to put administration of the Wagner Housing act under Secretary Ickes' interior department.

The chamber adopted 40 to 37 an amendment giving the department "general supervision" over the housing program. Ickes asked for the provision.

In the debate preceding adoption, Senator Lewis (D-Ill.) supported the pending amendment to the Wagner bill to place the program under Ickes, contending creation of a separate agency would be a reflection on the administration by the interior secretary of public works administration housing.

Lewis said he could not conceive of the origin of opposition to putting the new program under Ickes unless it was contractors and suppliers of building materials.

Senator Clark (D-Mo.), who had opposed the amendment by Senator Logan (D-Ky.) to place the agency under the interior department, replied that he intended no reflection on Ickes. He said interior did not now have anything to do with housing and the proposal was an effort by the department "to reach out and grab new authority."

Senator Burke (D-Neb.) said the bill was drawn on the theory of creating an independent agency, and if it was to be placed under interior, the bill should be sent back to committee and "entirely rewritten on that basis."

RIGOROUS TEST IS GIVEN CLIPPER

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Stormy weather over the Atlantic today gave the Pan American Clipper III the most rigorous test of its flights to determine the feasibility of commercial air traffic between Europe and America.

Shortly after taking off from the River Shannon, at Foyes, Ireland, on its return trip to America, the giant flying boat ran into rain and mist.

A late message from the Clipper indicated she was averaging 110 miles an hour against a steady headwind that was accompanied by light rain.

London reported that wireless from Captain H. V. Gray gave his position at about 800 miles out of Foyes, Ireland at 5:30 a. m. Central Standard Time.

SUIT IN PARTITION IS FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT

A partition suit was filed in circuit court by Zora Johnson, Hattie E. Overstreet, Fernan C. Reavis, Leonard Reavis, Sadie Briggs, James D. Briggs, administrator of the estate of Mollie E. Reavis, deceased, against Lowell Reavis, Etta Reavis, George David Reavis, a minor, Mayne Reavis, guardian and curator of said minor and Lowell Reavis, administrator of the estate of Herbert W. Reavis, deceased.

The petition asks that property, in which the plaintiffs and defendants have interest be sold and the proceeds divided.

W. W. Blain is attorney for the plaintiff.

E. M. Curtin Administrator
Letters on the estate of George R. Pickett were issued by Probate Judge J. E. Smith to E. M. Curtin.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—100 lb. refrigerator, good condition. Phone 1474.

Influence of Church and Home

Creamed Comments
On S.S. Lesson

Discussion on Questions S.S. Lesson

God Feeds a People. Exodus 16: 11-20; 17: 3-6 for Sunday, August 8.

The supplies of food brought from Egypt were being exhausted, and as the march started through the desert where little or no food could be obtained, reasoning from the physical standpoint, there was cause for worry. These people had seen enough of God's power and presence to trust Him, but they failed to walk by faith alone.

Vs. 11, 12. "And Jehovah spake unto Moses, saying, I have heard the murmurings of the children of Israel; speak unto them saying, At even ye shall eat flesh, and in the morning ye shall be filled with bread; and ye shall know that I am Jehovah your God." God knows all about us. He notes complainings as well as praises; often He uses adversities to further reveal himself as he promised to make himself more real at this time.

Vs. 13, 14. "And it came to pass at even, that the quails came up, and covered the camp and in the morning dew lay round the camp. And when the dew was gone up, behold, upon all the face of the wilderness a small round thing, small as the hoarfrost on the ground." Who created all? All our food has been provided for us. We think a harvest comes because of man's sowing seed, forgetful that if there were no sky, no clouds or rain, no sun, no God back of it all, that there would be no harvest. Man knows little of the resources of God for our comprehension is limited.

Vs. 15, 16. "And when the children of Israel saw it, they said one to another, what is it? for they knew not what it was. And Moses said, It is the bread which Jehovah hath given you to eat." In man's extremity God supplies the real need, abundantly caring for His own. This food was new and only provided during the wilderness journeyings when food could not be secured from the earth. It was miraculously provided, which would be also an aid to growing faith in God.

V. 16, 17. "This is the thing which Jehovah hath commanded. Gather ye of it every man according to his eating." Man had a part to do. They were not on relief, expecting God to do it all. God never blesses a lazy man.

V. 18. "And when they measured it with an omer, he that gathered much had nothing over, and he that gathered little had no lack." God ordered that each should be amply provided but there was not to be given a chance for profit or glut. Here was to be a brotherhood with no distinction; no high, no low; no rich, no poor; no lords, no servants.

Vs. 19, 20. "And Moses said unto them, Let no man leave of it till morning. Notwithstanding they hearkened not unto Moses; but some of them left it till the morning, and it bred worms, and became foul; and Moses was wroth." "Selfish hoarding was of no avail. The lesson of daily dependence upon God is here taught. Good men may become righteously indignant, especially against sin. Moral reforms often follow the righteous indignation of great men.

V. 3. "And the people thirsted there for water, and the people murmured against Moses." Human nature is changed very slowly and with great difficulty. Instead of joining Moses in praying to God they took up a cudgel of stinging rebuke aimed at their beneficent leader.

V. 4. "And Moses cried to Jehovah saying, What shall I do unto this people? They are almost ready to stone me." It is one of the most prominent traits of character of Moses that, at the occurrence of difficulty, he carried it straight to God.

Vs. 5, 6. "And Jehovah said unto Moses, Pass on before the people, and take with you of the elders of Israel; and thy rod wherewith thou smotest the river, take it in thy hand and go. Behold, I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb; and thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink." A rock would seem the last place to choose for the storage of water. But God's cupboards are in very unlikely places.

GIRL SCOUTS CARNIVAL
AT SYRACUSE SATURDAY

The Girl Scouts of Syracuse and members of the orchestra are sponsoring a carnival on the Syracuse school grounds Saturday evening and night, August 7.

DO YOU KNOW?

1. Who buried Moses and where?
 2. Why did Christ call himself "the good shepherd"?
 3. Who went with the first Christian missionaries as their attendant and helper?
 4. How did David arm himself to slay Goliath?
 5. With what words did Christ prophesy Christian union?
 6. Who was Adam?
- (Answers in column eighth)

God Feeds a People. Exodus 16: 11-20; 17: 3-6 for Sunday, August 8.

1. What ought to be done with men that will not work?
2. How account for the children of Israel murmuring so easily?
3. What is the cure for complaints and murmuring?
4. What are the things we most easily forget?
5. How is our food today a gift from God?

Clericus says, "People are disposed to complain at present conditions and lament the passing of 'the good old days,' when the truth is that the former days were not better but much worse, and we are now living in the best days the world has ever seen."

BOOK REVIEW
HOW WRITERS WRITE by T. L. Crowell Co. This book consists of essays by contemporary authors discussing every major form of artistic writing and illustrating the writer's skillful technique.

FOOLS' GOLD by Pickett. The Abingdon Press. This book tells the truth about gambling, showing its folly, its peril and points out the duty of the church.

World Religious News

There are now one million Christians in India, and the group is being added to at the rate of twelve thousand per month.

The Southern Methodists are starting a campaign to reclaim the "country churches." They can be observed in hundreds of rural districts, weatherbeaten landmarks, with doors swinging on rusty hinges, windows out, generally standing on an elevated piece of land, telling the tale of neglected religion.

Dr. John A. Mackay, president of Princeton Theological Seminary, recently announced the creation of a Chair of Ecumenism at the Seminary. The new chair will deal with the universal Christian church, its nature, statutes and problems in the world of today; its missionary movement and policy, its strategy in relation to the non-Christian faiths as well as "the faiths of Communism and Fascism."

The "fad" novels, with their large publication figures, never come near the sale-volume of the Bible, year after year. During the past year 27,000,000 copies of the Bible, in whole or in part, were sold throughout the world. It is estimated that almost one billion Bibles have been sold in the world since Gutenberg printed the first copy. Last year saw two important additions to the list of languages in which the Scriptures now appear—on a language used by 20,000 Indians in Guatemala, and the other that employed by a large Philippine tribe.

An Anti-Moth Ball society has been formed in Philadelphia, the organization opposing the modern trend to suspend operation of church and put them in moth-balls for the summer. The aim is to carry out adequate summer plans for work days and Sundays. Worship, work, recreation, co-operative movements, industrial and educational problems, relations to social agencies and the life of central Philadelphia will be among the important phases of the program. There is a central city headquarters, from which the society hopes to be of use everywhere.

Wit and Wisdom

Sunday School Teacher—"Why in your prayers do you only ask for your daily bread instead of asking enough for a week?"
Boy—"So we can get it fresh every day."—Congregationalist.

God Feeds a People

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture—Exodus 16:1-17:7.



A month and a half after God delivered the children of Israel from the Egyptians at the Red sea and guided them in the wilderness they murmured against Moses and against God because they were hungry.



God provided them bread from heaven, which they called "manna," sending it with the dew for them to gather every morning except on the sabbath. Thus he fed them for 40 years on this "bread from heaven."



Jesus fed the multitude in the wilderness and then referred to the manna God sent the Israelites, and said he was the true bread from heaven given for the life of the world.



God also provided water for his people by commanding Moses to smite a rock from which came water for the people. This also represents Jesus "the Rock of ages cleft for me."

(GOLDEN TEXT—James 1:17.)

Church Forum

What are the marks of a great teacher?

Jesus Christ was the greatest teacher the world has ever known. Some of the marks of a great teacher have been noted by the president of one of the great American universities:

1. The great teacher never ceases being a humble learner.
2. He establishes a personal relation with his students.
3. Whatever he may be teaching, is a window through which he looks out upon the whole universe.
4. The merchandising of information will never seem to be his main purpose.
5. The great teacher will not think he has failed unless the students have not wanted to learn.
6. He will not think it beneath his dignity to pay attention to the art of presentation.
7. He will never speak of his work as routine teaching.
8. He will inspire without sacrificing a rigid realism of fact and idea.
9. The great teacher has a gracious spirit and is a tonic to his students.
10. The great teacher's aim is to bring his students into harmony with the truth of God and into full obedience to His will.

The Missionary Review of the World.

St. John's Parish, Bahner, Masses at 8 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of every month, and on Holy days. Masses at 10 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays. St. Patrick's Parish, Spring Fork, Masses at 8 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th one hour during the summer Sundays. And at 10 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays and on Holy days. Hours for all Masses advance.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Fourth and Osage, Morning worship 9:30. Rev. George Wittmann of Adrian, Mo., will be the preacher in the absence of the pastor. Special music by the choir. Sunday school 10:20 with classes for all ages. Come and worship.

Wesley Chapel, Fourteenth and Stewart streets. Revival meetings are being conducted at Wesley Chapel. The services begin promptly at 8 o'clock and close at 9 o'clock. Congregational singing. Rev. T. H. Swearingin is pastor in charge. Rev. Henry Haines of Chicago, assistant. Other ministers will speak as follows: Friday evening, August 6, Rev. J. C. English; Sunday morning, August 9, at 10:30 Rev. C. M. Licklider; Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. Henry Haines. These meetings will continue through next week or until further announced. You are invited to share the religious experience now in progress. Come and bring your friends every night. Sunday school will be at the regular time 9:30 Sunday morning. The Sunday school is improving in attendance. Classes for all ages. The superintendent is especially interested in having the young people attend and join in the choir singing. We have classes ranging in age from 5 to 80 years, so regardless of age you will be in class.

First Baptist church, Sixth and Lamine avenue, Dwight H. Willett, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. C. A. Dinwiddie, general superintendent. Morning worship at 10:35. Solo by Mrs. A. H. Bratton. Mrs. B. Bess, choir director. Mrs. Clyde Williams at the piano. Rev. G. W. Baker will preach both morning and evening. Baptist Training Union at 6:45. Miss Myrtle Lewis, general director. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Congregational singing led by S. J. Allen. Miss Dorothy Wild will sing. Mrs. O. H. DeWolf at the piano. Rev. Baker will begin a revival meeting at Providence church Monday evening, August 9.

East Sedalia Baptist church, Fifth and Summit. Rev. G. C. Greenway, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Classes and teachers for all. Divine morning worship at 10:30. The Rev. Gene Pratt former Sedalia and member of our church will be in the pulpit and give us the morning message. This is an opportunity to hear one of our young men who went out in the field as a minister of the gospel. Mrs. Pratt who is a talented musician will bring a message in song. Dr. T. U. at 7 o'clock. Be there and be on time. Evening service at 8 o'clock with Bro. Pratt in charge in the absence of the church pastor. Mid-week services Wednesday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and worship with us.

Federated church, 6th and Osage. Because of the absence from the city of Rev. E. L. Baker, pastor of the Federated church there will be no church services Sunday, but Sunday school will be held at 9:30 as usual. Dr. J. E. Cannaday will address the men's class.

Broadway Presbyterian church, corner of Broadway and Kentucky.

Catholic Churches
St. Patrick's Parish, Rev. P. A. Dunn, M. A., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6, 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Week days at 8:00 a. m. Holy hour Sundays at 3:00 p. m.
Sacred Heart Parish, Rev. C. Daniels, C. P. P., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6:00, 7:30, 8:45 and 10 a. m.

By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell and Alfred J. Buescher

Home Education

The following resolutions were made by a class of young mothers after a year's study of their children:

- God helping me, I resolve:
- I will be as hospitable and polite to my children's friends as I am to my own.
- I will be more patient with my children during the coming year.
- I will endeavor not to be so much a critic of my child as an example to him.
- Before administering punishment, to think calmly and try to put myself in my child's place.
- To put first things first.
- Try not to nag my child.
- To encourage efficiency in anything and insist on accuracy in everything.
- To spend more play time with my child.
- Not to be a worrying, nervous, over-anxious mother.
- To remember that a child is a child.
- To endeavor to find joy, pleasure and culture in every task duty bids me do.

—Kentucky Parent-Teacher.

Week days 6:15 and 8:00 a. m. Holy hour, Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30.

St. John's Parish, Bahner, Masses at 8 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of every month, and on Holy days. Masses at 10 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays. St. Patrick's Parish, Spring Fork, Masses at 8 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th one hour during the summer Sundays. And at 10 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays and on Holy days. Hours for all Masses advance.

CELEBRATE SUNDAY AT MT. HERRIMAN

Plans for a big day at Mt. Herriman church Sunday, August 8, have been perfected when an all-day celebration of the fiftieth anniversary will be held by that congregation.

The event will include a big basket dinner following a morning song service and devotion and it is expected that a large attendance of old and younger members will participate.

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The program follows:
12:15 Song and devotion.
12:30 Basket Dinner.
2:00 Special music.
2:15 Historical reading.
2:30 Sermon, Dr. J. C. English.
3:15 Special music.
3:30 Adjournment.

REV. ENGLISH UNION SERVICES SPEAKER

The Union services of the churches will be held in Liberty Park Sunday evening at eight o'clock. The choir of the Methodist church, South, will sing. Rev. J. C. English, pastor of the church, will be the speaker. The topic for the sermon is "The Price of Christian Character."

The services have been well attended during the summer months. Visitors are invited to worship in the services which will continue through the month of August.

Warsaw Items

(By Josephine J. Crawford)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rissler and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Denton of Buckner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCarty and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Earl Martin and son Bob after visiting the past week here with Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Newkirk and son Scottie returned to their home in Kansas City Sunday.

Lon Allen Hams, after spending the past week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, returned to his home in Kansas City Sunday.

Mrs. Virginia Huffine and daughter Misses Frances and Evelyn Huffine from Fayette visited last week near Frisco with her daughter, Mrs. Houston Johnson and Mr. Johnson and son Harold Lee.

Foster Wright after an extended visit here with his father, P. M. Wright, left Sunday for Colorado. Mr. Wright and son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright and son took him to Kansas City and they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Chessman.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Dillon and children, Earl and Mildred were Sedalia visitors Tuesday afternoon. Miss Fannie Johnson and nephew, John Lloyd Durham returned last Friday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Denver.

Dr. Robin L. Hunt of Madison, S. D., and Clyde Hunt of Green Ridge visited here Tuesday afternoon with the R. B. Petts and Fred Hunt families. Dr. Hunt is superintendent of schools at Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mothersbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mothersbaugh of Kansas City visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson of Sedalia visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCarty and Clyde, Jr.

Mrs. E. M. Shields of Sedalia

The Better Way

Over Civilization

Harry Emerson Fosdick at Johns Hopkins went to Thoreau for one of the leading ideas in his message entitled, "On Being Civilized to Death." He quoted Thoreau in a deliverance on our occupation with "improved means to an unimproved end." We create movies and degrade morals; we create radio and improve the circulation of nonsense; we create the automobile and facilitate the work of gangsters. The Old vulgarian and the old barbarian are very much with us.

With all our wonderful technical equipment we can plunge millions into unemployment; with all our marvelous communications we can still make world wars—with devices that "would cause the very devils in Milton's hell to blush with shame."

"The problem of our salvation lies elsewhere," said Dr. Fosdick, "in our spiritual culture." What a clarion call youth of our generation might sound in a time like this!

visited here over the week end with her brother, C. W. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennett visited in Lincoln Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Floyd Davis and Mr. Davis. Other guests Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Groemer and children of Warsaw.

Little Master Jerry Hart spent the week end in Warrensburg with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Phillips. He celebrated his fourth birthday anniversary Sunday, August 1. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips brought him home Tuesday and visited their daughter, Mrs. B. H. Hart and Mr. Hart.

R. B. Pitts of Warsaw, I. N. Barry of Lakeview Heights and Henry Frederick of Cole Camp attended a directors' meeting of the Lake of the Ozarks Association at Eldon Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen "Katz" Land of Kansas City came Saturday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Edna Land and son Elbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harvey were in Springfield Sunday and Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hudson, Miss Florence Hudson and Miss Genevieve Drake were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rex at their country home Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parsons and daughters, Mary Elizabeth of near Ottaville, Miss Parsons and Mary Elizabeth, the Hudsons, home and visited until Monday.

John Drake, Jr., of Kansas City is visiting here with his aunt, Mrs. J. R. Smith and Dr. Smith.

Miss Florence Hudson is visiting near Ottaville this week with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Parsons and Mr. Parsons and Mary Elizabeth Parsons.

Mrs. Ted Edwards and daughter Janis of Edwards visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Doyne.

Mrs. J. W. Estes accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Addie Mitchell and Miss Mary Mitchell of Columbia is visiting her sister, Mrs. Shirley Bard and Mr. Bard and daughter at Collins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Phillips had as their week end guests their daughter, Mrs. E. Schneider and Mr. Schneider and children of Springfield.

William H. Sapp, 83 passed away Sunday, August 1, at his home south of Cross Timbers as the result of a paralytic stroke which he suffered a week ago. He was for many years a resident of Benton county. He was one of the many farmers who left Benton county when Bagnell Dam was built because his farm was in the inundated area. He with his son, Harry Sapp and family moved to Hickory county. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. F. Dillon, pastor of the Warsaw Methodist church, Monday afternoon at Turkey Creek chapel. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Miss Lily Holley, a member of the Higginsville high school faculty, returned last week from Denver, Colo., where she had taken a course in summer school at the Denver University.

Mrs. R. B. Petts visited near Windsor over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunt. They attended the morning service at the Windsor Baptist church Sunday. Rev. A. R. Hardy, a former Warsaw pastor, preached that morning. Rev. Hardy will conduct revival services at Clinton the next two weeks with all the Baptist churches of Henry county cooperating. His brother-in-law Rev. E. R. Clawson will conduct the song service and his son, Joyce Hardy will accompany on the cornet.

Do YOU KNOW ANSWERED

1. God himself in the land of Moab, but no one knows exactly where.
2. "The good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep."
3. John Mark, usually called simply Mark.
4. With his sling and five smooth pebbles.
5. "There shall be one fold, and one shepherd."
6. The officer in charge of the king's taxes, sent by Rehoboam to the rebellious tribes and by them stoned to death.

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Wallace Limits Sedalia Club to Three Hits in Night Game

The Odessa Merchants handed the Sedalia Athletics their first whitewash of the season Thursday night at Liberty Park as Wallace, a lanky right-hander, held the home forces to three singles to gain a 3 to 0 decision.

The visiting moundman struck out ten men, walked only three and was accorded errorless support in the field. His team-mates turned two double plays to eliminate whatever chance the Sedalias had to score.

Vertis, a talented right-hander from Miami, Mo., was on the hill for the Athletics and gave up only one earned run while limiting the Odessans to five hits and striking out 13.

Singles by Kahn and Patterson and a passed ball by Summers gave the visitors a run in the fourth, they added another in the seventh on Patterson's three bagger and Gibbs' single, and picked up their third in the eighth on a pair of errors and Boesch's one base blow.

Only Livengood, Light and Vertis of the Athletics were able to connect safely with the offerings of the Odessa pitcher who combined a fast ball with a sharp breaking curve.

The Athletics play again on the home lot Sunday when they oppose the Jefferson City Red Birds at 3 o'clock on the Liberty Park diamond.

The box score:
Odessa Merchants
 AB R H PO A E
 Carter, cf 5 0 0 0 0 0
 Kahn, 3b 4 2 1 0 1 0
 Patterson, ss 4 1 2 1 0 0
 Fickler, lf 4 0 0 0 0 0
 Boesch, 1b 4 0 1 12 1 0
 Gibbs, rf 4 0 1 1 0 0
 Helms, 2b 4 0 0 3 3 0
 Houk, c 3 0 0 10 0 0
 Wallace, p 4 0 0 6 3 0
Totals 36 3 5 27 8 0

Sedalia Athletics
 AB R H PO A E
 Light, ss 4 0 1 0 4 1
 Case, cf 2 0 0 0 0 0
 Barnes, lf 2 0 0 0 0 0
 Summers, c 3 0 0 13 0 1
 Zey, rf 2 0 0 1 0 1
 Livengood, 1b 4 0 1 12 0 2
 Small, 3b 4 0 0 0 0 1
 Brownfield, cf 2 0 0 1 0 0
 Horner, cf 0 0 0 0 0 0
 Lobaugh, 2b 3 0 0 1 0 1
 Vertis, p 3 0 1 0 3 0
Totals 29 0 3 27 8 6

Score by innings:
 Odessa 000 101 11-4 8 0
 Sedalia 000 000 00-0 0 0

Summary: Three-base hit—Patterson. Stolen base—Helms. Double plays—Wallace to Boesch to Helms. Wallace to Helms to Boesch. Bases on balls—off Wallace 3, off Vertis 0. Struck out—by Wallace 10, by Vertis 13. Hit by pitcher—by Wallace (Zey), by Vertis (Houk).

PHILS TOUGH ON ROAD BUT SHOEBOX PARK AT HOME IS THEIR DOOM

Associated Press Staff Writer
 CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Ask any Philadelphia pitcher to describe an egg crate and the answer, nine times out of ten, will be the Phillies hall park.

"You can stand at home plate in that shoebox," is the general reply, "and pretty near throw a grand piano over that short right field wall. The boundaries are so close, that when you get up there to pitch, you haven't got room for your windup. Any pitcher who gets past a game there, deserves the congressional medal."

That's the reason the Phils are playing cellar ball at home in the National League, and show nearly a first division record on the road. It also explains why the loop's pitchers would rather take a salary cut than work in Baker Bowl, and why two of the better flingers, Bucky Walters and Rookie Lefty Lamaster, each have better than 500 averages away from home this season, and get their ears knocked off more often than not in Philadelphia.

The Giants and Cardinals are crying for flingers with their stuff, but with the Phils, because of that 250-foot right field home run target, they're as wasted as a bet on a long shot against War Admiral. Every club is supposed to show to better advantage in their own back yard—but the Phils haven't a chance. To date this year, they've won 24 on the road and only 16 at home, and have dropped 23 on tour and 34 in Baker Bowl. No wonder they're in the cellar.

In the ten games they've played on their current road trip, they've won six. They're the first outfit to take two in a row from the league-leading Cubs since June 26. Lamaster started it against the pacesetters in Chicago with a seven-hitter Wednesday. Yesterday Walters tied the Cub bats in knots, allowed just four hits and finished on top 4-2, to make his season record nine victories and four losses away from home, compared to three wins and six setbacks in Philadelphia.

LOCAL TRIO WILL ATTEMPT TO PLAY 100 HOLES OF GOLF AT SEDALIA COUNTRY CLUB SUNDAY

A long distance golf match in which the principals—Norman Scott, Damon Hieronymus and Charles Patterson—will attempt to play 100 or more holes within a 24-hour period is scheduled for Sunday at the Sedalia Country Club.

The trio, each member of which has been on the course almost daily since the season opened and on occasions has played anywhere from 36 to 54 holes in a single afternoon, plans to tee off at 5 a. m.

They estimate they can play nine holes in one hour and ten minutes under average conditions. Thus, to play the 100 holes they contemplate, approximately 13 hours would be required provided no rest periods were taken.

However, none of the trio is so haughty as to believe he can complete the grind without time out, so all agree they will be forced to play beyond 7 p. m.

Since the sun will set at approximately 7:20 o'clock and they will receive no cooperation from the moon, which the almanac shows will be in the new moon phase, they plan to complete the four

The Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—No American League batter hit for the cycle (single, double, triple and home run) in 1936.

Three have done it this year—Gerald Walker, Joe Dimaggio and Lou Gehrig.

Just to make it look good, Dimaggio contributed a second home run.

Big ten coaches expect Harry Stuhldreher's Wisconsin eleven to toss a few bombshells this season.

Well, the yachting races are over and how is your starboard tack?

Mike Jacobs' wife gave him merry "L" for taking over the garden.

Said he has been working too hard, any way.

Mike was afraid to go home after signing the lease.

New York baseball writers with the Giants were back Bill Terry has given up on Memphis Lou Chiozza and is eyeing Joe Stripp of the Dodgers as his 1938 sacker.

Don't go to pitying Jimmy Johnston for losing out at the Garden.

The guy is likely to wind up as director of sports for the forthcoming world's fair—the job slated to go to the late Jack Curley.

So far the Yankees have belted 126 home runs, of which 76 were contributed by Messrs. Dimaggio, Gehrig and Dickey.

What are you going to do with a team like that? The Cardiff Western Mail, leading newspaper of Wales, has shipped a large Welsh flag to Tommy Farr and it will fly from his corner when he goes against Joe Louis.

Cardinal Prince, the fastest pacer in America, is as black as his famous trotting stablemate, Greyhound, is light.

But there is a lot of difference in the horses, . . . Greyhound is a perfect gentleman, but Cardinal Prince is a bad actor.

They won't let you within three feet of his stall, he's that ornery.

Both horses are owned by E. J. Baker of St. Charles, Ill., who had an ambition to own the fastest trotter and pacer in America and achieved it.

Madison Square Garden won't seem the same after October 1, when Jimmy Johnston stops presiding at high tea every day at 4 p. m.

Ask Blondy Ryan of the Giants about some screwy base running he did in a recent game at Minneapolis.

He tried for second on a Texas leaguer, found the ball there ahead of him, ran around the bag and finally ducked back to first.

The fine present Will Harridge plastered on Bill Dickey, of the Yanks, was Bill's first since he socked Carl Reynolds in the kisser down at Washington a few years back.

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SERIES FOR CITY SOFTBALL TITLE STARTS TONIGHT

Boosters and Marketers to Be Rivals in Best 4 Out of 7 Set

The Missouri Pacific Boosters and the Stewart Avenue Marketers will launch a best four out of seven series for the city softball championship at Liberty Park at 9 o'clock tonight.

The Stewarts qualified for the championship set by winning the American Division of the City Softball League without the loss of a single game, while the Boosters moved into the picture by defeating the 1936 city champions, the Rosenthal Clothiers, three games to two in a playoff after the two teams had tied for the National Division title.

Upon Lanky Bob Alpert, whose pitching was the main factor in the Marketers' march to the American loop title will rest the hopes of the Stewarts to stop the Boosters.

Alpert, who has two no-hit games to his credit this season, however, will confront a worthy rival in Dick Hays, the Boosters' mound star, who has been backed by a steady brand of support than has been the Stewart pitcher's fortune.

After tonight's game the teams will play nightly starting Monday until one team has won four games.

The preliminary game tonight will be provided by the M. F. A.'s of Marshall and the local Montgomery Wards who will meet at 7:45 o'clock.

SPORTS MIRROR

By The Associated Press.

Today a Year Ago—Jack Lovelock, New Zealand, captured Olympic 1,500-meter run at Berlin in world record time of 3:47.8 with Glenn Cunningham, who also ran under record, second.

Three Years Ago—Ben Eastman, running in Oslo, broke 500-meter record turning in 1:02.

Five Years Ago—James A. Bausch won decathlon championship at Los Angeles Olympics.

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ENTRY LIST OF 180 FOR NATIONAL AMATEUR READS LIKE BLUE BOOK OF U. S. SIMON PURES

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—An entry list of 180 players, picked through their performances in sectional qualifying tests a few weeks ago, was announced today by the United States Golf Association for the forty-first national amateur championship, to be played at the Alderwood club, Portland, Ore., August 23-28.

While the location, distant from many of the biggest golf centers, kept a lot of good players from entering the event, the group which will compete in the qualifying round the first day still reads like a "blue book" of American amateur golf.

Starting with defending champion Johnny Fischer of Cincinnati, who conquered Scotland's Jock McLean in last year's stormy final, the entries include seven of the last eight in the 1936 tourney: most of last year's Walker cup players, six former champions and three former national open titleholders. Notable absentees are George Dunlap, the 1933 champion and a Walker cupper, and George Voigt and Ed White, members of last year's cup team.

The honor of starting play goes to John O. Levinson of Kennebunk Beach, Me., New England champion, and Sidney A. Milligan of Eugene, Ore. They have been paired to start the first round at 8 a. m. August 23.

In addition to Fischer, former wearers of the amateur crown who will try to win it again at Portland are Francis Ouimet, winner in 1914 and again in 1931; Chick Evans, 1916 and 1920; Jesse Guilford, 1921; Max Marston, 1923; and Ross (Sandy) Somerville, the Canadian who took the title in 1932.

They're mostly listed among the "old guard" and not considered real threats this year. Ouimet, Evans and Johnny Goodman of Omaha are the former open champions.

From the 1936 Walker cup team, Fischer, Goodman, Charley Yates of Atlanta, Harry Givan and Scotty Campbell of Seattle, Walter Emery of Oklahoma City and Reynolds Smith of Dallas will be in the field.

Fischer, Goodman, Campbell, Johnny Riddell of Garden City, who made the grade as an alternate and gained a place in the field when a couple of New York qualifiers dropped out; Ray Billows of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Russell Martin of Chicago reached the last eight in 1936.

Arrayed against this collection of proven stars are such newcomers to big-time golf as Wilfred Wehrle of Racine, Wis., the Louisiana State College pair of Fred Haas and Paul Leslie; Chuck Koesis of

Michigan; "Trailer Bill" Holt of Syracuse, N. Y.; Don Schumacher of Dallas, the young New Yorkers, Willie Turnesa and Frank Strafaci, and Edwin Kingsley of Magna, Utah. Any one of them may have the strokes to win.

In contrast to last year, when the whole British Walker cup team competed at Garden City, there's not much of an international threat this time. In addition to Somerville, A. Stanley Anderson of England and Ken Black of Vancouver are the only foreign players entered.

SKIPPER GRIMM NOT AROUSED BY BATTING LAPSES OF HIS CUBS

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—A general hitting slump stared Charlie Grimm of the Chicago Cubs straight in the eye today but genial Charlie refused to bat a lash.

The Bruin pilot emphatically asserted (1) his club is good enough to shake off batting lapses (2) but is going along playing for one game at a time and (3) an outfield that hasn't produced much wallop so far this season is bound to come through soon—and the sooner the better.

"We lost two close games to Philadelphia the last two days, but they were games that any club might have lost," Grimm said. "When any club runs into the kind of pitching we saw from Wayne La Master and Bucky Walters the hitters have trouble, but we'll all get going again."

The lead-off spot, for the past 10 games, has been a particularly troublesome one for the Bruins. Little Augie Galan, a sensation in 1935 and a flop last season, started fast this year but in his last 47 times at bat has laced the apple at an almost unbelievable .021 clip. The one hit he had was a bunt.

Outfielders Joe Marty and Phil Cavaretta haven't been producing knocks. But the big bludgeons of Gabby Hartnett, Frank Demaree, Bill Herman, Jim Collins, and Al have been carrying the Bruins along.

"We aren't thinking about the pennant," Grimm said. "First we have to win it, and I know we will. After that we'll have time to think about the Yankees."

"Worried about them? We shouldn't be, should we, with a good ball club?"

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DAVIS CUPPERS RETURN TO U. S.

By PAUL MICKELSON

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—A 10-year-old nightmare turned into a sweet dream come true yesterday as Don Budge and his mates returned from England with the Will O' the Wisp Davis Cup, a 12-quart bowl that denotes international team tennis supremacy.

As whistles tooted, bands played, flags waved and thousands cheered, the players and cup were hoisted onto a big car for a parade through the city's streets so everyone could see. Later the players and Captain Walter L. Pate were wine and dined at a mid-town hotel where the long harried tennis officials predicted a return of the "golden era" on the courts of this country.

Bryan "Betsy" Grant, Frank Parker, Gene Mako, and Wayne Sabin completed the ranks of the returning heroes but Budge, a bit bashful and flustered by it all, was the hero of heroes. Not only because it was he who did more than anyone to bring the cup home but because he reaffirmed his resolution to remain

an amateur for at least another year.

"I have received no professional offers and I am not interested in any," Budge said. "I will not turn professional this year, maybe not at all."

Parker, Grant, Sabin and Mako, will all participate in the singles at Rye, but Budge will wait until the Newport tourney before unlimbering his terrific service and uncanny volleying.

Grant, whose reputation was tarnished by his poor showing in the German matches, said he planned a comeback. The atom from Atlanta, blamed a sprained ankle and an attack of "flu" for his poor showing abroad.

Fights Thursday Night

By The Associated Press.

Cleveland—Patsy Perroni, 187, Cleveland, outpointed Steve Dudas, 186, Edgewater, N. J. (10).

New York—Leonard Del Genio, 142, New York, outpointed Bobby Pachio, 146½, Los Angeles (10).

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CATTLE & GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 5,200; hogs from 210 pounds down steady to 10 cents higher; spots 25 cents off on butchers from 210 pounds up; packing hogs steady; top \$13.50; springing; bulk good and choice \$13.00 to \$13.25; \$13.25 to \$13.50; 150 to 170 pounds \$13.25 to \$13.50; 240 to 300 pounds \$12.50 to \$13.25; packing hogs \$11.40 to \$12.15.

Cattle 2,000; calves 500; common and medium grass steers on peddling basis, scattered lots \$8.50 to \$11.50; some demand for fed offerings but negligible supply on hand, part load \$15.75; grass cows under severe pressure; only low cutters and cutters getting dependable action at \$4.25 to \$5.75; grass heifers at \$7.00 to \$10.00, weak at recent decline; bulls and vealers steady; bulk sausage bulls \$6.25 to \$7.25; good and choice vealers \$11.00 to \$12.00.

Sheep 5,000; active, strong on bulk of all classes, although top native spring lambs 10 cents lower; bulk good to choice natives \$11.00 to \$11.25 to larger interests; slaughter ewes \$4.25 to \$5.75.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 3,000; none through; 500 direct; uneven mostly strong to 10 cents higher than average Thursday; some pigs and light hogs 15 to 25 cents higher; others about steady; practical top \$12.40; part load \$12.45, small lot \$12.50; bulk 170 to 230 pounds \$12.25 to \$13.40; few 240 to 260 pounds \$12.50 to \$13.10; small lot 300 pounds \$12.50; 140 to 160 pounds \$12.50 to \$13.15; few \$13.25; 190 to 230 pounds \$10.50 to \$12.10; few \$12.25; good cows \$11.00 to \$11.75.

Cattle 3,000; calves 2,000; hardly enough cattle on sale to make a market; prices generally steady in clean up trade; fed heifers and mixed yearlings \$6.00 to \$9.50; old head as high as \$11.00; beef cows \$5.25 to \$8.00, few to \$9.00 and above; cutters and low cutters \$4.00 to \$4.75; top sausage bulls \$6.75; top vealers \$11.00; nominal range slaughter steers \$6.75 to \$16.25; slaughter heifers \$5.50 to \$16.50.

Sheep 3,000; opened steady to packers, no city butchers operating; good to choice lambs to packers \$10.50 to \$10.75; buck lambs \$1.00 less; throwouts \$6.50 to \$8.00; slaughter ewes \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 800; no direct; slow, mostly steady; shippers in; top \$13.10; good to choice 150 to 270 pounds \$12.80 to \$13.10; heaves and lights scarce; odd sows \$11.75 down.

Cattle 1,200; calves 300; killing classes generally steady in mostly a cleanup trade; choice 1,046 pounds steers \$18.00; two loads plain quality grass steers \$8.00 to \$9.00; grass heifers down from \$8.50; few butcher cows \$5.25 to \$7.00; low cutters and cutters \$3.75 to \$5.00; selected vealers \$10.00; killing calves down from \$8.00; stocker and feeders unchanged with fairly broad week-end clearance.

Sheep 1,200; killing classes steady; best trucked in native spring lambs \$10.50; most sales \$10.00 to \$10.50.

SHARP DROP ON WHEAT MARKET

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—(AP)—Late tumbles carried the Chicago wheat market down today more than 2½ cents a bushel, following 4½ cents drop at Winnipeg.

Increased selling of futures against newly harvested domestic wheat was a feature, together with lack of any export business of consequence either in United States or Canadian wheat. There were also indications of corn belt rains where needed.

At the close, wheat was 2½ to 3½ cents under yesterday's finish, Sept. \$1.12½ to \$1.12½, Dec. \$1.13 to \$1.13½; corn 1½ cent up to ½ cent up, Sept. \$1.00 to \$1.00½, Dec. 6½¢ to 6½¢, and oats ½ to ¾ cent down.

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Dec. .97½ .94½ .94½ .94½

May .97½ .94½ .94½ .94½

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Dec. .83 .80½ .81½ .81

May .84 .81½ .81½ .82½

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 6.—(AP)—Cash—

Wheat: No. 2 red \$1.15½ to \$1.17½; No. 3, \$1.10½ to \$1.13½; No. 2 hard \$1.11 to \$1.12½; No. 3, \$1.07½ to \$1.13; No. 2 red, \$1.12; No. 3, \$1.08½.

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No. 11—Leave..... 5:05 p.m.

No. 15—Leave..... 7:45 p.m.

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STATE-WIDE PUSH TO COLLECT SALE TAX ANNOUNCED

Smith to Audit Every Retail Establishment in State of Missouri

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 6.—A dozen auditors moved on Jefferson City business houses today, starting a check-up which State Auditor Forrest Smith said would reach every retail establishment in Missouri and bring in several million dollars in delinquent sales taxes.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 6.—(AP)—State Auditor Forrest Smith announced plans last night to audit every retail establishment in Missouri with an aim, he said, to collect several million dollars in delinquent sales taxes.

The drive, Smith said, would start tomorrow in Jefferson City, with about a dozen auditors in his department checking records of the merchants.

"We plan to go into the records back to Jan. 15, 1934, when the original 1/2 of 1 per cent sales tax went into effect," Smith said.

Smith was emphatic in his estimation that the drive would bring in several million dollars in delinquencies. Sales under the 1/2 of 1 per cent law, the 1 per cent act which went into effect Aug. 27, 1935, and under the 2 per cent law which became effective June 8 will be checked, Smith said.

"There are too many merchants turning in sales tax collections of only \$2 and \$3," he said. "That means under the old 1 per cent act their gross business was only \$200 to \$300, and they can't keep their doors open with only that much business."

The auditor said the sales tax drive would rapidly extend all over the state. He plans to put fifty auditors in the field, he said. "By next week," he said, "we expect to begin an audit of merchants in some of the larger cities of Missouri. We'll probably have crews of about six working each city, and when they get through, they'll go on to the next city."

Asked why he was launching his drive in Jefferson City, Smith replied:

"I want to clean up my own back yard first. Whenever we try to enforce the law in a city like Springfield, some one always says, 'why, up in Jefferson City you're not making them collect the tax.'"

Smith called attention to the sales tax laws which authorize the collection of a 3 per cent additional levy for each month the tax is delinquent, in addition to 25 per cent penalty.

"We'll waive the penalty if merchants voluntarily pay their delinquent taxes before an audit of their place is made," Smith said.

INSISTS ENGLAND PAY HER WAR DEBT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—(AP)—Representative Joseph B. Shannon, Democrat, of Kansas City, Mo., told the house Wednesday this country should insist England pay its war debt and that all negotiations should be "carried on in the open."

He said that "by all rules of decency, the entire debt should be paid." To this country, which let England have money "to put her on her feet when she was in dire distress."

Shannon said he had read reports that Bernard Baruch is unofficially representing the United States in negotiations for settlement of the British war debt.

"No special representative of this country, official or unofficial, should be sent abroad to deal with defaulting nations," Shannon said. "All dealings should be had from here, and every American citizen

should be had from here, and every American citizen should know exactly what terms are agreed upon." Shannon said he "saw no great need for so much politeness and diplomacy in trying to collect a bad debt." He suggested Baruch, with the "aid of a hard-boiled constable" might "seize any loose property they find in England, such as the royal jewels."

Clarksburg Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ches Sites of Kansas City, visited in the home of Mrs. Sarah Wilson and daughter, Miss Anna Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Sites is a niece of Mrs. Wilson.

Sylvia Groves of Tipton has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leonard of Montgomery City visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Renshaw last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate and niece, Irene, of St. Louis, visited home folks here over the week end. Mrs. Mollie Wingate accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sappington of Union, Mo., spent Saturday night in the home of H. B. Sappington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maness of Kansas City, were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnmeyer.

Mrs. Byron Hamlin has as her guest her daughter, Margaret, of Kansas City.

Miss Sally Ann Evans, who has been seriously ill, is able to be out again.

An unusually large amount of threshing has been done the past week in the surrounding vicinity. M. J. Battles of the Cross Lane community had quite a large threshing, the work being in progress four days, threshing 2,131 bushels of oats and 1,250 bushels of wheat. Some of the oats yielded about 55 bushels to the acre.

The following seventeen men from Monticau county have been appointed as farm reporters: C. C. Amos, William Bower, Roy Hahn, Merlin Hays, W. L. Jones, Chas. Miller, Raymond Lawson, S. G. Lawson, Golder Martin, J. C. Martin, Edwin Rea, Earl Donley, Merida Witke, Howard Wyss, Norbert Frye, Lollis Hays and Hugh Inghelish.

Saturday, July 31, was the 77th birthday anniversary of R. L. Williams. In the evening the children all gathered there and helped their father celebrate by having a feast of ice cream, cake and lemonade. Mr. Williams has been blind for several years, but he is of a jovial disposition and despite his affliction he enjoys these gatherings and the home coming of his large family of children and grandchildren.

Mrs. Loraine Eason and children of Kansas City were Sunday afternoon callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Battles and family.

Mrs. Joe Powell is rapidly improving from her recent illness. Miss Ruth Henderson of Overville came last Friday for a visit with Mrs. Cleora Winebrenner and Mrs. Frances Robertson.

Mrs. L. C. Sharp spent a few days in California last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Peterson of Tipton, also Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stephens, were Sunday visitors in the Joe B. Powell home.

James Douglas, son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Douglas, left early Sunday morning for San Pedro, Calif., for an extended visit with Mr. Douglas' sister-in-law, Mrs. Viola Prickett and other relatives.

Wilber and Norman Gump of Kansas City, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gump over Saturday night. Their sister, Mrs. Nell Schlup, also of Kansas City, who had been with her parents the past week, accompanied them home Sunday.

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MANY SOILS LOW IN PLANT NUTRIENTS

By The Associated Press.
COLUMBIA, Mo., Aug. 6.—Experiments made by the College of Agriculture at the University of Missouri disclosed today that many soils in the state are low in essential plant nutrients.

The tests were made on the first soil-testing train which ran over lines of the Alton railroad. Nine hundred twenty-one farmers brought samples of their soil to be tested.

The findings showed:

One hundred and forty Audrain County samples indicated 131 were low in phosphorous and potassium, 119 were low in calcium and 93 showed strong or very strong acidity; 75 Boone County samples found 69 lacking in phosphorous, 73 in potassium, 57 in calcium and 63 were strongly acid; 12 Callaway County samples found 10 lacking in calcium and six were strongly acid; 57 Howard County samples found 44 low in phosphorous, 61 in potassium, 7 in calcium and 6 were strongly acid; 91 Jackson County samples revealed 68 were lacking in phosphorous, 12 low in potassium, 2 low in calcium and 38 strongly acid; of the 203 Lafayette County samples, 157 were low in phosphorous, 55 in potassium, 94 in calcium and 58 strongly acid; all the Ralls County samples were low in phosphorous, 24 in potassium and calcium and 18 were acid; of Randolph's 40 samples, 37 were low in phosphorous, 34 in potassium, 14 in calcium and 19 were acid; in Saline's 110 samples, 78 were low in phosphorous, 44 in potassium, 16 in calcium and 13 were strongly acid.

Syracuse Items

(By Caroline Schroeder)
Mr. and Mrs. Schrater of Columbia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Palmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tieman and son Joe and Miss Helen Lutjen of Sedalia were Syracuse visitors Saturday evening.

Miss Mabel West, who is very ill at her home west of town, shows some improvement.

Miss Marjorie Mals of Bunceston, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mals and family.

The name of Jack Dean has been given the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Culley Salmons of Ottumwa, were in Syracuse Saturday evening.

Miss Imogene Putnam visited in Warrensburg last week.

E. L. Schroeder was a Booneville visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Byrd and sons of Morris, Mo., spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Leonard Stahl was pleasantly surprised Sunday when a number of relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stahl to help her celebrate her birthday. All brought well filled baskets and at the noon hour a bountiful dinner was served. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stahl and two sons, Mrs. Liza Peoples, Mr. and Mrs. John Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stahl and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stahl and Mrs. Binkley of Longwood. In the afternoon they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. George Gayheart and two daughters of Glenstead. All departed late in the afternoon wishing Mrs. Stahl many more happy birthdays.

Velma Lee Salmons is visiting this week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cully Salmons of Ottumwa.

Mrs. Effie Mothersbaugh of Sedalia, visited Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Liza Peoples and grandmother, Mrs. Nancy McCurdy. Marlin Schrader was a Warsaw visitor Thursday.

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85c Dextrin Maltose 57c
30c Eagle Brand Milk 17c
7c Nipples, anti colic 4c
50c Tek Tooth Brush 39c
25c Black and White Face Powder 17c
50c Phillips Milk of Mag. 34c
\$1.00 Djer Kiss Sachet 78c
50c Egyptian Henna 37c

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According to the report made by the firemen children playing around the tree Thursday night had started a bonfire, which had not been entirely put out, but had smoldered all night.

WILL SET ASIDE \$1,000 FOR CARE OF CANARIES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Eleanor E. Witherspoon, leaving an estate of \$250,000, provided in her will that \$1,000 be set aside for the care of her canaries. She asked that custody of the pets be given some one "who can give them intelligent care and who already loves them."

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Evacuation If Necessary Is Plan By U. S. Consular Officials

"STRONG MAN" SAYS ITS 'FIGHT TO DEATH'

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek Says Invasion Be Resisted

By The Associated Press.

SHANGHAI, August 5.—United States consular officials in all China organized the whole American population for the exigency of evacuation tonight to guard their lives and get them out of possible danger zones if necessary while China's generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek, suddenly proclaimed:

"We will fight to the death."

By night fall the month-old undeclared war brought these developments.

1. Columns of motorized Japanese troops rolled north to halt a Chinese advance from behind China's great wall.

2. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, China's "strongman" leader of the general government, flew to Kuling to tell the nation's chief educators that China will resist the Japanese advance "even though it means fighting inadequately prepared and to the death."

3. American missionaries, recalling previous Japanese conquests, feared Japanese domination of north China would wipe out missionary and education work representing millions of dollars in American investments, and years of the hardest toil.

4. Consul General Clarence Gauss at Shanghai directed formation of an American residents' emergency committee to safeguard lives of 4,000 Americans there. Similar committees were started by the 2,000 Americans in Chekiang and Anhwei provinces, and by officials elsewhere.

The committee attempted to establish communication with all Americans in the area, and issued instructions on the procedure of concentration if the crisis reaches Shanghai. Means of evacuation to safer districts, if necessary, were outlined. Other consular districts took similar precautions.

Ships Are Available

It was emphasized that the activities followed a long established formula in all American communities in China for use when needed.

Gauss said the organization did not indicate that the emergency was considered imminent.

(The United States navy has available 39 ships in far eastern waters. They could be used to protect or evacuate Americans from danger zones.)

5. General Chiang met with ministers and army commanders in emergency session at Nanking after his flight to Kuling.

6. In Tokyo the Japanese war minister told parliament he is preparing further "unitive measures" against Chinese, and warned the Japanese diet to be prepared for an emergency session to provide additional funds.

Automobiles carried Japanese troops through Peiping to the north and along hilly roads toward heavily fortified Chinese positions at Nankow Pass. The Japanese reported their warplanes were bombing Chinese troops near Kalgan to halt all advance into Hopeh.

As the columns moved through Peiping, two American photographers were beaten to head and fisted to prevent them from taking pictures. The American photographer, 23-year-old New Yorker, and Bonny Powell, News Reel cameraman.

Two other columns marched steadily closer to central government troops south of the ancient dragon capital.

General Chiang's declaration before China's educators reiterated his stand of two weeks ago, when he told them China was prepared to "face the worst" in the north China hostilities with Japan.

Handicaps In Struggle

The "strong man" acknowledged overwhelming handicaps in the struggle, but declared Nanking was "swamped with nation-wide indications" of a determination to resist further Japanese encroachment.

He said the "spontaneous response" indicated a unified China stood behind the government's position, from which "there is no turning back."

The government has plans, he said, which "I believe will enable us to strike effectively when the time to show our hand has arrived."

American missions in north China which missionaries feared might be obliterated if the crisis spreads are those of Catholic, Methodist, Presbyterian and Adventist churches and the American Board of Missions.

BIG INCREASE IN THE GASOLINE TAX PAYMENTS

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Missouri motorists paid \$5,484,542 in state gasoline taxes during the first six months of 1937, an increase of \$265,555 over the same period of 1936, Roy H. Cherry, state oil inspector, reported late yesterday. June collections of \$1,058,013 were nearly \$36,000 more than in June a year ago.

Dies After Run Over by Engine

HANNIBAL, Mo., Aug. 5.—(AP)—Elmer Christal, 26 years old, died today three hours after he had been run over by a Wabash switch engine, which severed both his legs.

HORST TURN TO COURTS SEEKING CHILD'S CUSTODY

Unlikely Any Charges Be Filed In "Kidnaping" at Chicago

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Otto and Martha Horst turned to the courts today, hoping to win permanent custody of the dark-haired boy they cherished as their own since infancy and who was taken from them Tuesday in what police first believed to be a kidnaping.

The 30-month-old boy, Donald, was being cared for at St. Vincent's orphanage pending settlement of the dispute between the Horsts and the young man and woman who told authorities Donald was their son and admitted taking him forcibly from Mrs. Horst.

Donald was surrendered to Assistant State's Attorney W. F. Crowley yesterday by the abductors, John Regan and Lydia Nelson, who said they had entrusted the boy to the Horsts at birth because of lack of money. Crowley said the Horsts admitted this was true.

The prosecutor said it was unlikely any charges would be filed against anyone but there was a possibility Fred Ewert, accused of driving the car in which Donald was taken from the Horst home, might be questioned if found. Police said Ewert, missing since the time of the snatching, had a criminal record.

"I'm sure Donald will be back here playing with all his toys tonight," Mrs. Horst said cheerfully after discussing plans to have an attorney start legal proceedings at once to regain the child.

The boy appeared to enjoy his new surroundings, but mention of "mama" started him crying. He sobbed in his crib until he fell asleep last night.

Indicate Fight for Child

While not showing any animosity toward the Horsts, Miss Nelson, 25-year-old common law wife of the machinist, indicated she would fight for the child.

"My heart aches," Mrs. Horst told her. "I want that child. Won't you give him to me? We'll take care of him."

"I've had a lot of heartaches myself," Miss Nelson replied. "He's my child and I'm entitled to him."

"We can take better care of him," suggested Mrs. Horst, whose husband is part owner of a sound equipment manufacturing concern.

"Well, I admit you've done pretty well for him," Regan replied. He said they hesitated several minutes before deciding to take the boy after having seen how the Horsts were caring for him.

Crowley said Miss Nelson told him that although she tried for more than two years to find the baby, it was only ten days ago that she learned the Horsts had him.

"John and I knew it would be hopeless to ask the Horsts to give up the baby. So we decided just to take him. We didn't think Mrs. Horst would make a fuss, knowing the circumstances of the child's birth."

Crowley said his investigation revealed Donald was born to Miss Nelson Jan. 6, 1935, and that the mother agreed to let the physician, Dr. John A. Rose, place the infant with a "wealthy man." Believing the adoption only temporary, the Regans signed no papers. The doctor then arranged transfer of the infant to the Horsts.

The prosecutor said a affidavit showing the Horst parents had been filed.

DENIES OPPOSING ROAD BUILDING

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.—Matt F. Morse, secretary of the Automobile Club of Missouri, denied today the club was opposed to the farm-to-market road construction program as Gov. Lloyd C. Stark was reported to have asserted recently.

Morse issued a statement in which he pointed out that the club originated the farm-to-market program in 1926 and supported the campaign which resulted in such construction being approved in 1928.

A controversy between Gov. Stark and Morse has developed over a proposal for a referendum on the governor's measure increasing the state gasoline tax from 2 to 3 cents a gallon. Morse today claimed that nine out of ten of the club's members who reside outside of St. Louis, more than half the membership, were opposed to the tax increase.

FOR STIFFER TAXES ON THE PERSONAL HOLDING CONCERNS

Recommended By The Senate-House Tax Committee

MOVE TO AVERT TAX AVOIDANCE

Steps Proposed To Prevent Wealthy Reducing Returns

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—A senate house tax committee recommended today drastic increases in domestic personal holding company taxes as one means of preventing tax avoidance.

The committee, proposing for enactment at this session a \$100,000,000 eight-point program of legislation to plug income tax leaks, also recommended an innovation in the taxation of foreign personal holding companies.

It suggested that undistributed net income of such companies should be figured in the gross income of the American owners of the companies just as if it actually had been distributed to them.

Treasury officials, who cooperated with the joint committee in making an investigation which brought in the names of many prominent citizens, estimated roughly that enactment of the committee's recommendations would mean an increase of \$100,000,000 in federal revenues.

In addition to the domestic and foreign personal holding company proposals the committee recommended stiffer tax treatment for the following methods used by wealthy persons to reduce their taxes: Incorporated yachts and country estate, incorporation of personal talents (such as acting) artificial deductions for interest and business expense, multi-trusts, non-resident aliens, and artificial deductions for losses from sales or exchanges of property.

The committee report to the house and senate followed an investigation extending over several weeks and undertaken at the request of President Roosevelt. The President said in a message to congress that a comparatively small number of wealthy persons was reducing tax payments by methods which he considered should be checked by legislation.

During the investigation the President's son, James, who also is one of his father's secretaries, appeared on the witness stand to deny that he ever had been connected with a foreign personal holding company, a connection which had been hinted at by Representative Fish (R-NY).

Among many prominent Americans named in committee hearings as having availed themselves of tax reduction methods were William Randolph Hearst, publisher; Jacob Ruppert, New York brewer and baseball magnate; C. F. Kettering, vice-president of General Motors; Myron C. Taylor, chairman of United States Steel Corporation; the late Alfred L. du Pont; Ed Wynn, the radio entertainer; Fritz Kreisler, the violinist; and Percy Crosby, cartoonist.

The committee proposed to lift the surtaxes on domestic personal holding corporations to 65 per cent on the undistributed net income in excess of \$20,000 and 75 per cent on the amount above \$20,000.

No Low Minimum

The present rates are 8 to 48 per cent.

"No low minimum rate can be provided," the report said, "without enabling wealthy individuals to escape substantial taxes through the formation of multiple personal holding companies."

In addition, the committee suggested that deductions allowed such companies be altered broadly, and some revoked entirely.

With regard to taxing undistributed net income of foreign personal holding companies as though already distributed to American owners, the committee said it was recommending "a method of taxation" with respect to corporate income.

"The committee, however," the report added, "its innovation is necessary to offset the revenue and prevent further use of one of the most glaring loopholes now existing."

Thereupon the committee proposed that tax laws should be revised to encourage dissolution of foreign personal holding firms "as promptly as possible."

The major recommendation here was that in the liquidation of any foreign personal holding firm not completed by the end of this year, 100 per cent of the gains from the liquidation should be taken in account in computing net income.

Under existing law it is possible for as little as 30 per cent of the gain to be taken into account in computing net income.

Asserting it found no justification for incorporation of yachts and country estates, the committee suggested that they be handled by revising the definition of personal holding corporations.

It also suggested that deductions from gross income should not be allowed for expenses of operation and maintenance of property owned or operated by a holding company to the extent the expenses exceed that of compensations, unless it is established that the compensation is the highest obtainable, that there was reasonable expectation of profit, that the property was necessary to the conduct of the business or that it was held in the course of business carried on for profit.

The committee said these changes would have the effect of placing the personal holding company on the same basis as an individual who cannot offset his personal expenses against his income.

Incorporated talents would be treated similarly. Here again the committee would redefine personal holding companies and include in income the full amount received by the corporation from contracts for personal services of any individual who, with his family and partner, directly or indirectly owned 25 per cent or more in value of the outstanding stock.

CHICKEN DINNER AT HOUSTONIA FOR KIWANIS

Charles W. Green Gave An Interesting Talk on The State Fair

The Sedalia Kiwanis club had a very interesting meeting Wednesday night, when they met at the Christian church in Houstonia, and were served a delicious chicken dinner by the Houstonia Community club.

C. L. Hanley, club president, presided over a short business session, then the meeting was turned over to Hugo Sparr, program chairman. Mr. Sparr introduced members of the Houstonia Sewall quartette, Messrs. Westbrook, Sewall, Freund and Jeffries, who accompanied by Mrs. Joe Williams, also of Houstonia, sang two songs.

The speaker of the evening was Charles W. Green secretary of the Missouri State Fair. He gave a brief history of the origin of fairs, coming down to the Missouri State fair, then telling in detail of plans for the 1937 exposition, which opens August 21. He told of the large number of entries, of the various and outstanding attractions, and plans to entertain the thousands of persons expected.

Frank Paulus, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Paulus, 502 East Second street, died at his home Thursday evening at five o'clock. He had been afflicted with a septic infection of his throat since Saturday but his condition had not been considered serious.

He was born November 1, 1913. Besides his father and mother he is survived by his grandfather, W. J. Harbit, of 502 East Second street. He had no other immediate relatives in Sedalia.

Before his death he was employed in the store department of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad shops here.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

PAPA DIONNE GETS HIS DANDER UP

By The Associated Press.

CALLANDER, Ont., Aug. 5.—(Canadian Press)—Papa Olive Dionne got his dander up today about quintuplet Emilie's sore throat.

He said he read Dr. Allan Roy Dafeo's statement that Emilie caught her cold from an "outside source" and made up his mind that Dr. Dafeo "was blaming us because Emilie got sick."

Besides, the quintuplet father complained: "We didn't even know she had it until some of those tourists told us Monday."

Dr. Dafeo answered that he did not mean it that way. Although he said he was certain the infection came from "someone outside" the nursery, he added that "I certainly didn't say one of the Dionne family."

Papa Dionne, who lives with his wife and six other children just across the road from the nursery, explained that he and Mrs. Dionne hadn't visited the quintuplets for more than a week before Emilie caught cold. Furthermore, he said, none of his family had been sick.

The father said that when he heard only four of the quintuplets were being "shown" Monday, he hurried to the nursery.

"A nurse told me that Emilie was sick with a sore throat and had a little fever," Dionne said. "I saw her through a screen."

It stood to reason, the father explained, that strangers who might be disease carriers brought Emilie her cold on one of the tourist excursions to the quintuplet nursery.

Also, Dionne said, he found out once that Yvonne had mumps and he wasn't told about it.

"That isn't true," Dr. Dafeo replied.

Unaware of the squabble, Emilie was able to sit on the veranda today. Dr. Dafeo said her temperature was back to normal and that she was getting along well.

JIM REED SELLS CHOICE PORKERS AT \$13.10 HUNDRED

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Meet Jim Reed—hog raiser.

The rumpus raiser of the United States senate back when the League of Nations was a fiery subject sold some hogs today at \$13.10 a hundred pounds, the highest price paid since September, 1928.

The 21 head, from the Reed and Clarke farm at Platte City, Mo., averaged 230 pounds. Reed is vacationing in Michigan.

DR. PARKER MAY BE NO 1 COMMUTER

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 5.—The distinction of being Missouri's No. 1 commuter probably goes to Dr. Harry F. Parker, state health commissioner.

Twice a day Dr. Parker drives the 92 miles between his home town of Warrensburg and the capital.

The trips, he says, not only afford him relaxation, but result in punctuality.

"I usually leave home about 6:30 in the morning and many times I'm the first one at the office. I've also noticed other commuters are among the early arrivals."

Many capitol employees commute daily from Columbia, Fulton, California and other central Missouri towns.

DROPS DEAD IN A CELLAR WHERE SHE WENT FOR FOOD

Mrs. Mary H. Mahin Expires In Heart Attack Near LaMonte

Going to a cellar to procure provisions to help feed three others at the evening meal at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Flecken, west of LaMonte, Mrs. Mary Harriet Mahin, 64, succumbed to a heart attack Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mahin, who had suffered previous attacks, went to her daughter's home Sunday evening to remain for a few days and after she went to the cellar and failed to return soon after her grandson, Thomas Mahin, went to the cellar finding her lying on the floor dead. This was about 7:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Mahin was the wife of Henry Mahin, well known resident for many years of LaMonte and community, and she had spent her lifetime from girlhood there.

Born June 8, 1873, at Connorsville, Ind., she came to Missouri as a child with her mother and step father, Mr. and Mrs. William Winchell, located in Pettis county.

On September 6, 1888, she was married to Mr. Mahin and from that union two sons, Lloyd Mahin, LaMonte; George Mahin, also of that place, who is a fireman for the Missouri Pacific with a run in and out of Jefferson City, were born, who with the daughter named and husband survive her.

ONE OF HOBBIES IS GLOVES COLLECTION

Mrs. Newton J. Friedman, formerly Miss Rosalie Kanter, of Sedalia, who with her husband, Rabbi Newton Friedman, lives in Gloverville, N. Y., where Rabbi Friedman is executive director of the Jewish Community Center of Fulton County, has as one of her hobbies a collection of gloves. The city in which they live is the glove center of the United States and Mrs. Friedman, who has lived there less than a year, already has an enviable collection.

Mrs. Friedman expects to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kanter, of Dal-Whi-Mo Court about the 25th of September, but because they are spending most of the month of August on a vacation Rabbi Friedman will not be able to get away and come with her.

Lightning Kills Farmer

BLOOMFIELD, Mo., Aug. 5.—Raymond de Journette, 32, a farmer, was instantly killed by lightning while baling hay on a farm six miles east of Bloomfield late yesterday. Six other men working on the same farm were shocked. Rufe Hart and Bill Robinson suffering rather severe burns.

ORDER DISSOLUTION OF FOUR GERMAN SOCIETIES

VIENNA, Aug. 5.—(AP)—The Austrian government today ordered the dissolution of four German societies in a counter-offensive against increasing Nazi activity.

Seven Injured In Wreck

HIGGINSVILLE, Mo., Aug. 5.—(AP)—Harold S. Davis, 38, Hartford, Conn., was among seven persons injured when 17 cars of an Alton railroad freight train left the track west of here last night. The injured, except for one trainman, David Yates, Bloomington, Ill., were "bumming" rides.

Red Cross Fund to Refugees

NANKING, Aug. 5.—(AP)—The American Red Cross today handed over \$10,000 to the United States Ambassador Nelson T. Johnson for the relief of refugees in north China.

SENATE UPROAR OVER A CIRCULAR ON HOUSING BILL

Clark and McNary Denounce Distribution In Chamber

WAGNER ASSUMES "RESPONSIBILITY"

Senator Black Petitions Special Session On Farm Legislation

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Circulation to senators by page boys of a statement urging reconsideration of an amendment to the Wagner housing bill caused an uproar in the chamber today.

Circulation of the statements, called "propaganda" by Senator Clark (D-Mo) was denounced both by the Missouri senator and Senator McNary, Republican leader. Clark made a point of order against the procedure.

Senator Pittman (D-Nev) president pro tempore, who was presiding, ruled the pages could not be blamed, and that if any blame attached to the matter it should be laid to the senator who had ordered the distribution.

Senator Wagner (D-NY), author of the housing bill, quickly assumed "full responsibility." He said he had not believed there was anything "improper" in the procedure and thought "any enlightenment" on the issue was "perfectly proper."

The statement was issued by the American Federation of Housing authorities, the housing legislation conference and the National Association of Housing Officials.

Urged Reconsidering

It was marked "concurrent in by the American Federation of Labor and the building trade department of the American Federation of Labor."

The circular urged the senate to reconsider its 40 to 39 vote yesterday adding an amendment by Senator Byrd (D-Va) to limit the cost of housing projects, exclusive of land, to \$1,000 a room or \$4,000 a unit.

Clark said the process in distributing the literature involved "employing the machinery of the senate to cover senators' desks with propaganda."

McNary asserted that acceptance of responsibility for distributing the statement by Wagner "does not cover the case."

The Republican leader said it was "the boldest attempt to influence legislation I have seen in 20 years in the senate."

The statements were distributed to senators in personally addressed envelopes, accompanied by letters signed by Langdon Post, as president of the American Federation of Housing Authorities.

Urges Special Session

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Senator Black (D-Ala) submitted a petition signed by forty-one senators today urging a special session of congress in the fall to enact general farm legislation.

The petition was signed chiefly by Democrats and Independents.

It said the signers felt it would be "unwise" to wait until January to enact farm legislation because farmers making preparations for their crops should know what laws would be on the books ahead of that time.

Black presented his petition to the senate shortly after a group of southern Democrats said after a White House conference that President Roosevelt had reiterated his stand that crop control legislation should precede a renewal of crop loans.

Signers of the senate petition said they felt congressional committees should study farm legislation and be ready to report by October 15 and congress should begin consideration of the legislation at that time.

GRAVE DIGGERS DELAY BURIALS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 5.—(AP)—A strike of grave diggers halted burial of the dead in Kansas City today.

Mortuary receiving vaults and cemetery abbeys and mausoleums were used as temporary shelter for 10,000 whose funerals were arranged for today.

The grave diggers, members of an American Federation of Labor affiliate, ordered pickets to the city's cemeteries to prevent any attempts of on-union men to do the work. They demands included a closed shop, union recognition, a 20-cent-an-hour wage increase and an eight-hour day. Approximately 150 men were affected by the strike.

ENGLAND FRETS IN HEAT

LONDON, Aug. 5.—(AP)—England fretted today over her annual "heat wave." The mercury had reached into the 80's on four consecutive days.

The temperature climbed to 82½ yesterday, only 1½ degrees under 1937's high.

FORMER SHERIFF DIES OF ACCIDENT WOUNDS

EMINENCE, Mo., Aug. 5.—W. B. Powell, 45, former sheriff of Shannon county and brother of the present sheriff, Fremantle Powell, died at 6:30 a. m. today from injuries suffered in a highway accident late yesterday.

Powell was riding on the running board of a small truck driven by his son, Lennie. When he attempted to pass a truck loaded with lumber the trucks side-swiped, crushing Powell's body.

FIGHT INTENSIFIES BY NEW DEALERS AND TAMMANY

Whalen Withdraws as a Candidate For Mayor Nominee

TWO FISTED INTRA-PARTY FIGHT LOOMS

Judge J. T. Mahoney To Run and Bid For New York Liberal Vote

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The fight between new deal Democrats and anti-Roosevelt Tammany Hall for the mayoralty nomination was more sharply defined today with the withdrawal of Grover A. Whalen as a candidate.

Other complications remained, however, to confuse Gotham's voting millions in the pre-primary campaign.

Replacing Whalen as the Democratic bearer of the new deal banner was former Judge Jeremiah Titus Mahoney, president of the Amateur Athletic Union and bitter foe of the present leadership of Tammany Hall.

Opposed to him for the Democratic nomination September 16 was United States Senator Royal S. Copeland, Roosevelt critic who is backed by former Governor Alfred E. Smith and dominant Tammany chieftains.

Pitted against both Mahoney and Copeland was astute little Fiorello LaGuardia, endorsed by the American Labor party last night as "the greatest mayor the city of New York has ever had."

The withdrawal of Whalen, former police commissioner, promised a two-fisted intra-party fight within Democratic ranks before the primary—with the outspoken Judge Mahoney as the spearhead of a drive to wrest control of Tammany from anti-new deal forces.

Whalen gave the signal for the onslaught in his withdrawal statement.

"Judge Mahoney is far better equipped than I to wage a fight against the interests which have succeeded in securing temporary possession of Tammany Hall and are striving to dominate the Democratic organizations in the other four boroughs (Tammany covers only Manhattan borough) and to secure control of the city of New York."

Mahoney said he would run as "no man's man."

"Our party organization for some time has been conducted and managed in the selfish interest and for the profit of a selected few," he said. "That is not my idea of organization."

Mahoney was viewed by close observers as a formidable contender for the liberal vote hitherto conceded to LaGuardia.

It remained doubtful whether LaGuardia would enter the Republican primary against Senator Copeland, who will run in both Democratic and Republican primaries, or campaign solely as the candidate of the labor party and fusion groups.

YOUTH KILLED IN BUS-TRUCK CRASH

By The Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 5.—Coroner J. P. Ferguson said today he was unable to place blame on either driver for a school bus-truck collision here last night and announced no inquest will be held.

Mearl Owens, 17, of Gainesville, Mo., was killed instantly when the two vehicles sideswiped 12 miles west of here at midnight.

Of the thirteen other passengers of the bus, returning from a citizens military training camp at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., three youths were badly injured.

They were: Herman Childress, 17, Elliot Matney, 18, and Edward Martin, 17, all of Seymour, Mo.; William Rice, 16, of Marshfield, left a local hospital early today to attend the funeral of his uncle, Condo Evans, Webster

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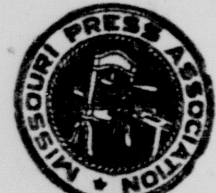
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WHEN 111,000 AMERICANS DIED

A generation has passed since the sinking of the Titanic, yet that great disaster is still well remembered. Fifteen hundred persons died.

The Johnstown flood will never be forgotten—the world was aghast when the death total of 2,209 was tabulated.

The World war was the most sanguinary conflict in history. In it, 50,000 Americans lost their lives, and they are still mourned.

The recent Texas school explosion, which killed 294 children, brought universal sympathy and horror.

Yet last year 111,000 Americans met accidental death—more than twice as many as were killed in the great war—and it caused hardly a ripple in the flow of news. We read of some of those accidents in our paper—"John Jones, aged 45, died in emergency hospital after being struck by an automobile"—turned the page, and forgot them. This astounding callousness—this attitude of "Accidents always happen to the other fellow, not to me or mine"—is death's greatest ally.

Among men, heart disease is the only thing which kills more men than accidents. Such plagues as cancer, tuberculosis, pneumonia—plagues which are being fought by all the resources of science—are down the list. Recklessly driven automobiles, burns, falls, drownings, and so on—these are the great killers.

Practically every accident is preventable—and this is especially true of the motor car, greatest of all the great killers. Care, competence, courtesy—these make up the accident prevention triumvirate. It's up to you—to all of us.

SIBILANCE REGNANT

A Georgian, J. F. Cargile, has produced a novella of 13,000 words every one of which begins with the letter "s". Specimens:

"Spain's scattered seas, surging sonorously, scared sickly sojourners"; "Seagulls swiftly sped, sometimes swooping suddenly, scraping seething sea surfaces, stopping several seconds, seeing something stomach-satisfying."

"Startled scanners," comments the Philadelphia Inquirer, "surely should see something sensible shining serenely. Such straggling stories seem strainingly sterner. Similar stultifying styles subjugate suave sublimities, subducing sprightly stimulations, strutting stifling sophistries, So!"

There being songs without words, perhaps some ambitious persons will produce a letter-less story.

NOTE ON BARBARISM

From the Pittsburgh Press:

In an article called "The Scepter of Freedom," the Berlin Schwarze Korps, organ of the Nazi secret political police, derides America for arming its policemen with clubs. Thanks to the Nazis, the paper boasts, Germany has abandoned "this barbaric custom," and instead arms its police with pistols.

Now, we're not inclined to spin fine distinctions on barbarism or anything else, but we sort of feel we'd rather take our chances with an oaken billy, even in the hands of the rougher sort of cop, than with the barking end of a Nazi repeater. The billy club may be barbaric, but it's a heap less lethal.

"New dining room furniture doesn't give the family better table manners," somebody says. Wrong! People usually try to live up to their surroundings.

INSANITY DEFENSE

Apparently New York is now about to receive still another spectacular demonstration of what is probably the most unsatisfactory single element in all our faulty apparatus for the social control of conduct. The plea of insanity is the point at which the moralistic and the scientific attitudes out of which that apparatus is constructed come into head-on collision, not unnaturally generating by the impact a multitude of anomalies and absurdities which it is easy to ridicule, but as yet impossible to avoid.

Because the whole structure of law rests upon a moral foundation, the New York Herald-Tribune asserts, it is impossible to execute an individual for committing a murder when he is "insane" and therefore morally irresponsible. To do so would stultify the law and so destroy its sanctions. But because the whole structure of science rests upon a non-moral foundation, it is impossible for it to determine the fact of "irresponsibility." To do so would stultify science; and insanity is a condition unknown to psychology or psychiatry.

Confronted by an insanity plea, the law must therefore apply to science to establish a condition which for science does not exist. Unhappily, science, confronted by an unstable personality intent on homicide, must still apply to the law for protection and for punishment which scientific cannons are as yet unable to sustain.

Were the scientific analysis and control adequate to social requirements, the dilemma would be easily resolved and the law would be superseded by psychiatry. But psychiatry itself is not yet prepared to accept the onerous task; and if it were, not one citizen in a thousand would be willing to trust his liberties to its dictates as he now trusts them to the moralistic principles of the law.

So the dilemma remains with us, and all we can do—since we are men neither of the unscientific Middle Ages nor of that hypothetical future in which knowledge will have conquered all—is to make the best of the sensational, anomalous and frequently irrational consequences it entails.

ROUTING THE RACKETEERS

From Lincoln Star:

Almost anything can be accomplished if the task is undertaken with energy and determination. Every since comparatively aged persons can remember, people in almost every line of business in New York City have been subjected to the extortions of racketeers, who by means of threats and sabotage, often accompanied by actual murder, have mulcted them out of millions of dollars every year.

Now racketeering is becoming a thing of the past. A number of months ago a young man, Thomas E. Dewey, was appointed special prosecutor to send the rats to prison, and a wonderfully fine job he has been doing. Thus far he has prosecuted fifty-two cases and in every one of them he has obtained convictions. Trial judges have handed out drastic sentences, some of them being the limit. The result has been that the prison population of the Empire state has swollen perceptibly, some of the new occupants being sentenced to terms which will keep them out of circulation during the remainder of their lives.

All sorts of racketeers have been put out of business and the work is still going on. No sooner is one set of extortioners sent on its way up the river than the tireless prosecutor has another set ready for trial and his investigators have the evidence to insure conviction.

Prior to the advent of Mr. Dewey the business men, contractors and others of the big city were accustomed to consider the money paid to extortioners as a part of their overhead. Now they go about with smiles and sing the praises of the fearless and resourceful Dewey, who has freed them of the "old man of the sea" with whom they were burdened for so many years.

SAMPLE DIPLOMACY

While diplomats have long been considered fair game for quip-makers now and then a situation arises which illustrates that a certain amount of mettle must be inherent in the men who take the sharp edges off our quibbles with other nations.

There is, for example, points out the News and Press of Springfield, the case in which an Argentine consul found that San Francisco had not named a single street for his nation. This was a minor omission, no doubt unintended. But many a major disaster has spread from a smaller incident.

DRIVERS' LICENSE LAW INTO EFFECT ON SEPTEMBER 6

Estimated 1,200,000 In State Secure Licenses The First Year

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, July 31.—Past driving records of Missouri motorists won't be used as a basis for refusal of drivers licenses when the new statewide law goes into effect September 6, according to V. H. Steward, state motor vehicle commissioner, who will administer the act.

The law gives Steward the right to refuse to grant licenses to those who have been convicted of motor vehicle law violations within the past year, but Steward said he would not exercise it "except possibly in an extreme case."

The applicant will have to list previous convictions on charges involving a motor vehicle, and these will be kept in a permanent file, but not listed on the license.

"I don't believe it would be right to hold a driver responsible for an act committed before the law goes into effect," Steward said. "After that, those who show they should not be allowed to drive will face revocations or suspensions."

He estimated 1,200,000 licenses would be issued during the first year, or about 25 per cent more than the number of motor vehicles in the state.

All drivers—women as well as men—are required by the law to list their ages in the license application, together with other material which might be of use in establishing identity.

The face of the driver's license will contain the following information: Name, street and number, county, city or postoffice, age, race, sex, weight, height, color of eyes, color of hair, signature, number of the license, and date of issue.

On the reverse side will be a space for listing of convictions of motor vehicle law violations, after the act goes into effect.

Other questions listed in the application include: How long have you operated a motor vehicle? Is your driver's license under suspension? Has your driver's license been revoked? (If so, date revoked?)

Are you familiar with the traffic laws of the state of Missouri? What is your occupation? What your business address? Give qualifications for driving? Have you ever been licensed as an operator or chauffeur? Has your license as an operator or chauffeur ever been revoked? (When and where), suspended? (When and where).

Were you ever convicted of any motor vehicle violation? If convicted, on what charge?

The licenses will be good for a two-year period, at a fee of 25 cents. Applications must be sworn to before a notary public. If the notary is an employee of the state motor vehicle department, a notary fee may not be charged.

"We have been asked how we're going to stop a person whose license is suspended or revoked from getting another under another name," said Percy McMahon, who will have direct charge of the license law, working under Steward.

"Of course we may have some trouble that way, but just remember that the law makes a false statement in the application a felony and punishable like any other perjury. Few would want to take that risk for the sake of a driver's license."

Syracuse Items

(By Caroline Schroeder)

Dean Austin, of Kansas City, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allison and son, C. B.

Mr. B. A. Bridges and son, Van, returned home Thursday after spending several weeks in Denver with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Soderstrom and family.

A number of Boy Scouts will be Mr. Engle and Mr. Vilhauer spent Tuesday night at the creek.

Misses Margaret and Betty Collins of Sedalia, spent a few days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Collins.

Misses Louise and Dorothy Steele and Kathryn Kanenbley returned home after visiting with relatives and friends in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bond are parents of a twelve pound son born early Friday morning.

Otto Carver of Florence spent several days here with relatives and friends.

Miss Gussie Lee Johansen had the misfortune of spraining her ankle Sunday night.

About fifteen Girl Scouts enjoyed a bunking party at the home of their leader, Mrs. John Engle, Wednesday evening. They attended the show in Tipton Wednesday evening.

The following day was spent in studying. Those enjoying the occasion were: Rose Mae and Bonnie Jewell Moore, Rose Ruth, Pamela and Valda Newkirk, Dorothy Kirchner, Mary Hubbard Keevil, Dina Alice Maloney, Pauline Fowler, Jewel Mais, Louise Steele, Pauline Hutchison and Caroline Schroeder.

Also Misses Margaret and Betty Collins of Sedalia and Mrs. Engle and daughter, Margaret Ann.

Miss Beattie Carver visited Thursday afternoon near Florence with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hayworth and

Great Road Meeting Held in Jefferson City For Advocating State Highways

August 2, 1911 Regarded As Milestone Toward Securing of High Type Roads For Missouri.

Compiled by State Historical Society, at Columbia
Floyd C. Shoemaker, Secretary

August 2, 1911, was an historic day in the history of Missouri road making. While thousands thronged Jefferson City in celebration of the passage on the previous day of a three and one-half million dollar bond issue for the erection of a new State capitol, 1600 people crowded Jefferson City's largest theatre to listen for seven hours in the stifling heat to speeches which were to determine the selection for Missouri of a great cross-state highway.

The year 1911 made Missouri road history. For in that year, Governor Hadley attacked the question of good roads with characteristic vigor. Under his instructions, the State board of agriculture, then by law the State highway commission, placed the question of good roads squarely before the people by reviving the idea of the construction of a cross-state highway for which three routes had been surveyed four years previously.

The construction of a continuous highway across Missouri, the commission had pointed out in 1907, would be commanded by two of the largest cities of the country—St. Louis and Kansas City. Such a road would inevitably become the "great white way" of the U. S. and one of the most traveled roads in America. Further, if Missourians wanted the route of the proposed transcontinental highway to go through Missouri, the construction of the road was a necessity. The idea, however, slumbered until revived in 1911.

The people of the State responded with enthusiasm to Governor Hadley's efforts. Everywhere, proponents lined up on the three routes proposed in 1907—Northern, a Central and a Southern. Advocates of the northern route pointed to their as the route of easy grades and good bridges which followed the Wabash railroad from St. Louis to Kansas City and which, by a supplementary route from St. Charles to Mexico by way of Troy, Louisiana and Bowling Green, would serve additional cities; advocates of the southern route, which lay entirely south of the Missouri river and which included Jefferson City, Sedalia and Warrensburg, claimed for their route the advantage of scenery; while advocates of the central route, followed in general the old Boon's Lick and Santa Fe trails, played up with equal enthusiasm its educational institutions and historical associations.

Tour of Inspection.
On June 28, a committee selected by the State board of agriculture, then the State highway commission, made a tour of inspection of the three routes proposed in 1907. The tour was headed by Governor Hadley, and included among its members, John F. Carroll of Sedalia, the northern route; John F. Morton of Richmond and Judge Robertson of Mexico; the central route by U. S. Hall of Glasgow, Walter Williams of Columbia, and by Mrs. John Van Brunt and Mrs. Elizabeth Gentry, representing the D. A. R. Seldom was Missouri oratory more eloquent than on this occasion.

On August 17, the State board of agriculture, which had sat as a jury upon the road hearings, announced its decision: The central route, with certain modifications, had won. But not until the day of Federal aid and State compliance with Federal regulations, was Missouri to have all-weather roads and realize her present cross-state highways from St. Louis to Kansas City. Nevertheless, in the history of Missouri road-making, the great Jefferson City meeting was regarded as an outstanding milestone.

Missionaries, One Former Sedalian, Had Selassie As Dinner Guest

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oglesby, the latter formerly Miss Blanche Cowherd, of Sedalia, who for almost five years have lived in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, East Africa, and who have entertained at their dinner guest there Haile Selassie, former emperor of Ethiopia, are coming back home. News to this effect was received by Mrs. Oglesby's brother, A. M. Cowherd, 703 East Sixteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oglesby who are missionaries in that country, in a letter written June 23, write they were to leave Addis Ababa on their furlough June 29, and hope to be here early in September.

"I cannot give you any date for returning," the letter continues, "we have been booked to speak at our mission conference in England from July 30 to August 6. We may also be sent over into Scotland for some deputations work. We leave here the 29th of June, going to Djibouti by rail, from there to Aden, Arabia by boat, and then back to Djibouti. We have to make the trip to Aden to get our passports which have expired and there is no American Consulate or Legation here to renew them. We

then go to Port Said by boat, from Port Said to Jerusalem (we will stay in the Holy Land for five days) then from Jerusalem to Haifa by bus and from there to Rome by train and from Rome to Paris, France by rail and from there to London by rail. We wish we could spend much longer time at Jerusalem and spend several days in Rome and France but cannot because of our having to be at the conference. We trust we will arrive in America around the first of September."

Mr. and Mrs. Oglesby, knowing they were to live in Ethiopia for some time, upon their arrival there more than four years ago, built their home, planted trees, dug a well, which is almost unknown in that country, and were as comfortable as possible. During the recent war Haile Selassie, who had been in the north with the soldiers and who had disposed of the small amount of medicine and supplies he had, came to the home of the Americans en route south. Mrs. Oglesby prepared a meal for him, which he complimented very much, and also supplied him with a quantity of first aid remedies.

family and Miss Anna May Howard of Jefferson City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howard and family. The children remained for an indefinite visit.

Misses Nancy Jane Hubbard and friend Betty Belle Boles of Versailles visited Wednesday in the M. T. Keevil home.

The Willing Workers and the Busy Bee Sewing clubs met Tuesday afternoon at the home of one of its members, Miss Dina Alice Maloney. There were twelve members and two visitors present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Dina Alice Maloney. The minutes were read by Pamela Newkirk, who acted as secretary. The No. 1 sewing class made underwear and the sewing class No. 2, made dresses. At the next meeting the No. 1 class will make slips and the No. 2 class will finish their dresses. Refreshments of strawberry ice cream was served. The next meeting will be held August 3, at 2 o'clock at the home of the leader, Mrs. John Engle. The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. with its leader Miss Laura Kirchner, enjoyed a social evening in the church basement Friday evening. Games were played and ice cream and cake were served to the 24 members.

Mrs. Lester Palmer and son Junior, were visiting her husband in St. Louis this week. Mr. Palmer returned with them for a visit.

Miss Minerva Schroeder left Saturday morning for St. Louis where she has employment.

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Houstonia Items

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

The July meeting of the Houstonia Woman's Federated club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Higgins with Mrs. Jack Morris leader of the program. The program was a musical one with a reading by Mrs. M. L. Jeffers on the theme, "God Never Forgets." During the business hour the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. C. F. Wicker; vice president, Mrs. J. W. Rissler; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. L. P. Welborn.

Misses Mary and Frances Dyer of Amity, Mo., who are spending several days here with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. French and family and Mr. Haymaker of Warrensburg, spent Thursday in Carrollton with the Misses Dyers brother, Mr. Dyer who is county extension agent of the county.

Misses Ruth McDaniel of Knob Noster and cousin Shirley McKelvey of Sedalia, are spending this week with Miss Ruth McDaniel, grandmother Mrs. H. C. Kemp and Mr. Kemp.

Billie Westbrook of Marshall, is spending a few days here with his grandmother, Mrs. Belle Westbrook. Members of Circle No. one of the Methodist church under the leadership of Mrs. W. C. Westbrook enjoyed a party Tuesday afternoon at the home of one of the members, Mrs. L. P. Welborn. Those present were: Mrs. M. L. Jeffers, Mrs. C. F. Wicker, Mrs. H. C. Kemp and guests Misses Ruth McDaniel and Shirley McKelvey, Mrs. Al Franks, Mrs. O. A. Milliken and guests, Mrs. Eckel of Indiana, Mrs. Albert Patterson and baby, Mrs. W. C. Westbrook, Mrs. G. L. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morris and son, G. L. of Kansas City are spending a few days here with Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Welborn.

There will be a "home coming" and basket dinner at the Blackwater Methodist church west of Houstonia on next Sunday. This is an annual affair and is attended by the community and many former members of the church who now live at a distance.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kemp were Mr. and Mrs. Otto McDaniel and family of Knob Noster. Afternoon guests were: Mrs. O. A. Stine and daughters, Misses Mary and Nadine Stine, Clarence Evans and his parents, all of Dresden.

Mrs. Hayman Higgins will be hostess to the Friday Hardtime club on Friday afternoon July 30th at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ocie Smith.

Mrs. Clarence Killian and daughter, Betty, of Idaho, who are visiting relatives here will spend the week-end with her brother, Russell Wicker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold House spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. House's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas near Ottaville.

Miss Margaret Scott was hostess to her bridge club and guests Tuesday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. L. S. Robertson, Mrs. James Blackburn, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Miss Henrietta Smith, Miss Ruby Tuck, Mrs. Russell Wicker, Mrs. Wilburn Miller, Miss Beatrice Milliken, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, Mrs. Dewey Houchen, Mrs. Jack Morris, Mrs. Wayne Westbrook. Club award went to Miss Smith and guest prize to Miss Beatrice Milliken. The hostess served a plate luncheon.

The following Houstonians enjoyed a picnic at Concordia Monday evening, Miss Henrietta Smith, Miss Margaret Scott, Miss Beatrice Milliken, Mrs. Harold House, Mrs. Wilburn Miller, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh.

Mrs. D. F. Rhinehart was hostess to her regular bridge club members and guests on Wednesday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. F. W. Hueben, Mrs. Nathan Harris, Mrs. Jay Dorsey, Mrs. O. A. Milliken, Mrs. Early Davis, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, Mrs. Tricie Houchen, Mrs. Ocie Smith, Mrs. M. B. Hume, Mrs. C. R. Rhinehart, Mrs. Dewey Houchen, Mrs. Herman Renken. Club president to Mrs. Nathan Harris and guest prize to Mrs. Davis. The hostess served a plate luncheon.

Misses Mary Jo and Phyllis Jean Sparks who have been visiting several weeks with relatives and friends here and at Sweet Springs, returned this week to their home in Glasgow, Mont. They were accompanied home by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Forbes who will visit in Montana with relatives. The Sparks family formerly lived here.

The Prairie Ridge Home Extension club held its July meeting Thursday of last week at the country home of Mrs. Edgar Reid with Mrs. Schoultz, Mrs. Forrest Reid and Mrs. R. R. Ratt, assisting hostesses. Guests were Mrs. Fred Gordon, Mrs. Fred Schondelmier, Mrs. George Cummings, Mrs. Tom Reid, Miss Mabel Adean Landes, Mrs. Chester Karriek of Mount Vernon, Ind.

Nat Finley and Miss Willa Truce are visiting in the state of California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yokeley had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Beason Yokeley and family of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and sons, were Sunday guests of relatives at Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Flave Bodenhamer, of Smithton, spent one day recently with his father, Andrew Bodenhamer and Mrs. Brodenhamer.

Mrs. Chester Karriek of Mt. Vernon, Ind. is spending several weeks here with her parents and other relatives.

Charles Allen Farris, of Kansas City, spent the past few weeks here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pummill and family and other relatives.

Miss Helen King who has spent

Sedalian In Tientsin



Staff Engraving.
Captain William S. Triplett, with the U. S. Army in China.



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Two daughters, Lee, the older and Betty Anne, with her nurse, Shen Nai Nai.

Captain Triplett, a son of Mrs. H. G. Triplett, 1901 South Osage avenue, has been in China with the U. S. Army just one year. About ten days ago he sent his mother a radio-gram stating "everything is dull." Since that time, however, the dullness has changed.

Sapt. Triplett, 37 years old, is a graduate of West Point. His family, wife and three children, the two shown above, and Catherine, the baby, are in Tientsin with him. He is with the 16th Infantry, and in a letter to his mother recently explained that in case of trouble their standard job was to hold a sector of about 800 yards on the north side of Tientsin with the British on their right and the rest of the battalion on the left.

"A rather thin line which would be all right in the daytime, but if contending Japanese and Chinese armies ever found out what can be done at night, it would be impossible," he wrote.

several weeks here with her parents, returned to her employment in Kansas City.

Mrs. Mary V. Wimer of La Monte came Thursday for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jay Dorsey and Mr. Dorsey.

Mrs. John Harris, Sr., has returned from a few days visit in Kansas City.

Ionia Items

(By Mrs. Homer Howe)

John Hutsler who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. W. C. Tucker and Mr. Tucker and with relatives at Cole Camp and Lincoln the past two weeks returned Saturday to his home at Tonkawa, Okla.

Mrs. Gladys Rapp and Miss Oretta Williams returned Tuesday from Denver, where they have been visiting relatives. They were called home by the severe illness of Mrs. Rapp's three year old daughter, Betty Sue Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson, Miss Lottie Ferguson and Mrs. Arminia Ferguson attended the funeral of L. S. Ferguson at Tipton.

Misses Nan, Margaret and Alice Anne Mahken accompanied by Mrs. Jane and Miss Mabel Carpenter of Lincoln, visited Friday with relatives at Smithton. Mrs. John Ratje returned home with them and visited over the week end. On Sunday Mrs. Ratje, sons, Delbert and Leon, and Mrs. Glenn Martin and daughter, Glenaderhea and Miss Nettie Young were dinner guests.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Clarke and children, Frances, Fannie, Dorothy and John William of Boone, Ia., and Mrs. Earl Richards of Mt. Airy, Ia., visited from Tuesday until Friday with Mrs. Homer Howe and Mr. Howe. On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. George Bucher, Mrs. Phyllis McCampbell and daughters, Mary and Anna, Mrs. John Proctor, James, Marion and Joan Ream all of Green Ridge were dinner guests in the Howe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Oetting of Windsor, visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson. Mrs. Oetting before her marriage was Miss Thelma Bird.

Mrs. Anna Knoop and son, Harold of Versailles and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mahken and daughter, Alice Anne visited Sunday at the home of Misses Nan and Margaret Mahken.

Mrs. S. B. Curtis and son, Sanburn, Jr., of Hot Springs, Ark., Mrs. M. D. Weathers and P. R. Schnabel of Sedalia visited Wednesday with Misses Nan and Margaret Mahken.

Otterville Items

(By Mrs. R. T. Cranmer)

Mrs. R. G. Howlett, son and daughter, Robert and Miss Georgia Mae of Golden, Colo., were guests Monday night and Tuesday of Mrs. A. N. Howlett.

Mrs. Wm. Neale and son, Vernon, left Friday for their home at Kansas City after a week's visit with Mrs. Margaret Brownfield and daughter, Mrs. Art Spencer and Mrs. Neal's sister, Mrs. Sam Homan and family south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen of Sedalia, and niece, Miss Lucille White of Webster Groves visited Mr. Allen's sister, Miss Mollie Allen Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith visited his sister, Mrs. Fred Monsees at Versailles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rundberg and daughter, Marie of St. Louis were guests Thursday night and Friday of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Golladay.

Miss Olive Risher visited her, Mrs. F. J. Spates and family near Beaman, Sunday.

Floyd Reavis of Kansas City and mother, Mrs. Carolyn Reavis of Clarksburg visited Tuesday night and Wednesday with his brother W. R. Reavis.

The T. E. L. Sunday school class of the Baptist church met in regular session Thursday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. Nina Funkhauser Mosely passed away very suddenly with a heart attack at her home at Pontiac, Mich., Wednesday morning, July 28.

She was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Funkhauser of Syracuse, born April 13, 1891, near New Lebanon.

Besides her husband, W. S. Mosely of Pontiac, Mich., and her parents, she leaves one brother, Jack Funkhauser of Plattsburg, Mo.

Funeral services were held at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Spillers at Ottaville, Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. T. M. MacDonald of California. Burial was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Ottaville.

The pallbearers were Lewis Kooztz, Frank Kooztz, Russell Kooztz, Lawrence Spahl and Stanley Palmer.

The members of the 4-H Club of Ottaville and Brick community attended a meeting at Boonville Thursday.

A number of the students of the Adult Educational School of which Mrs. Clara West is instructor, attended a meeting at Boonville Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Everett was called to the home of her brother, H. T. Small last Sunday by the sudden illness of Mr. Small who became critically ill Sunday morning.

Leonard H. Roessler of Syracuse was a business visitor in Ottaville Friday.

Mrs. Jessie Allen spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Landers near Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Crews and son, Wycliff returned Wednesday from a week's visit with Mrs. Crew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Tully, East St. Louis, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bishop and son of Warrensburg visited over last week end with his sister, Mrs. George Oswald and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Jno. Layne and family of Eldon were Sunday guests of his father, Frank Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin and three daughters, Norma, Gloria Jean and Betty Sue of Sedalia were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shults and P. T. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jostlewalt, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Solomon and W. D. Gentry spent Monday with Mr. Gentry's sister, Mrs. Wm. Reavis and Mr. Reavis at Pilot Grove.

Miss Norma Mae Busch returned Friday from Kansas City Teachers' college where she attended the summer term and has visited with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Burford and family west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kuykendahl were Sunday guests of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Ross at California.

Mrs. Jessie Allen entertained the Past Noble Grand Club Wednesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. Grace Arni had charge of the business session, while Mrs. Jess Straten and Miss Olive Risher had charge of the social hour program, when contests were enjoyed after which the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. A. L. Ferguson of Columbia was a guest Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Fogle.

Maurice Gordon of Liberty was a guest Sunday night and Monday of Mrs. A. N. Howlett and sister, Mrs. Mabel Grove.

Mrs. Bob Wiley and daughter, Mrs. Joe Roudenbush, Mr. Roudenbush and sons of Moline, Ill., came Sunday and have visited her sister, Mrs. Maggie Arni and other relatives here, at Versailles and Smithton.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper and Mrs. Willard Bell of Sedalia spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. George Brisley.

J. E. Golladay, H. M. Crews and T. R. Cranmer were in Boonville Thursday meeting with Mr. Dillon of the state school department, who was approving transportation routes for the schools in Cooper county and through the courtesy of Percy Floyd, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Boonville, they were guests at luncheon at Holt's Cafe.

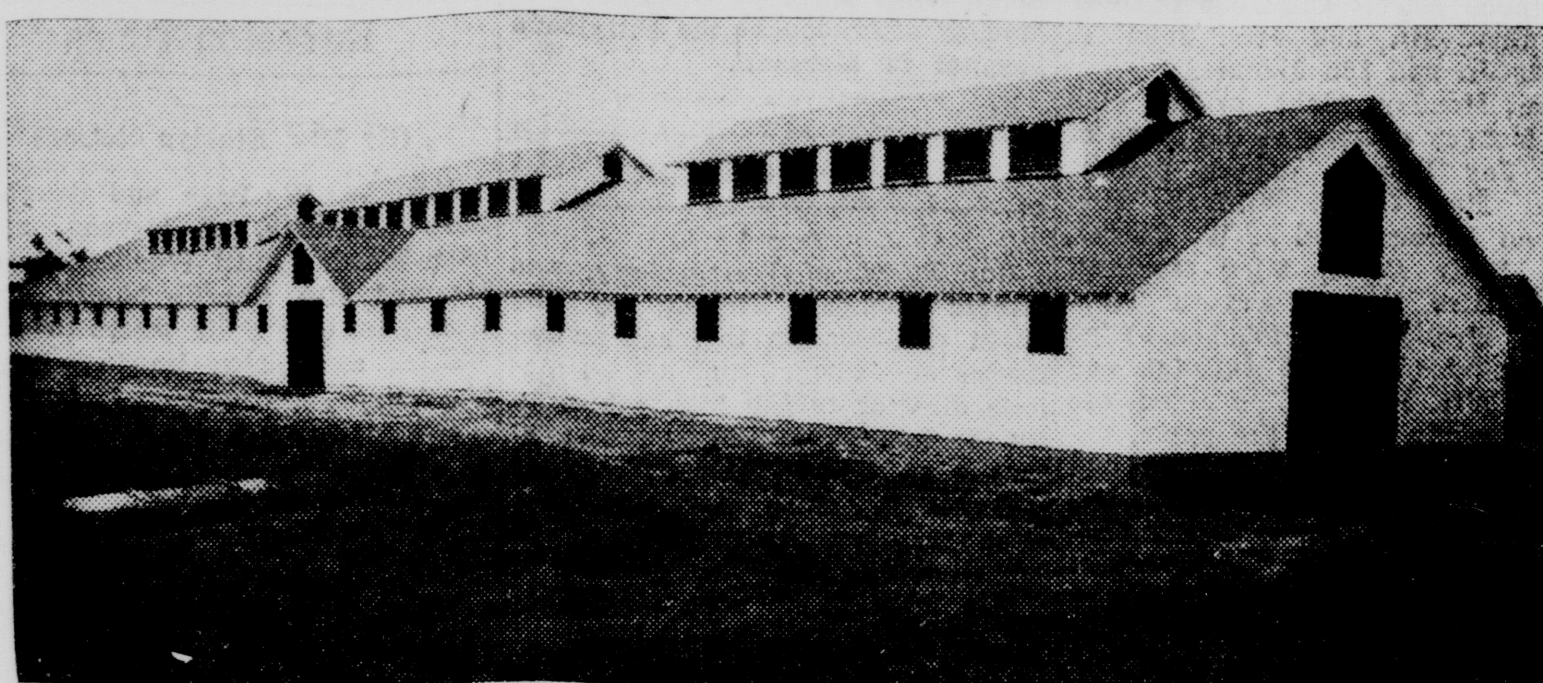
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rothgeb and Eldon Rothgeb were 7 o'clock dinner guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cordry near New Lebanon.

Mrs. J. C. Miller returned last week from a trip to Washington, D. C. and a trip with her husband through the east. Mrs. Miller is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Harlan, west of town.

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RUNNING HORSE BARN AT STATE FAIR GROUNDS



The large structure, shown above, has just been completed, as part of the 1937 WPA project allotted to the Missouri State Fair grounds. B. J. Bahner was supervisor in charge of the work. It is a 40-stall barn.

Pettis County Jersey Heifer Junior Champion Female In Parish Show



Above: Junior Champion female at the District Parish Show held at Sedalia, Monday. The owner is J. A. DeJarnette, Sedalia, Route 4.

The results of careful selection of proven sires of desirable breed type and cows with high producing ability and of desirable type as are used in many purebred Jersey herds in this section of the state was shown in the animals entered in the District Jersey Parish Show held at Sedalia recently. Three counties, that is, Lafayette, Jackson, and Pettis had entries in this show.

The above Pettis County Jersey heifer was judged Junior Champion female of the show. Her dam is Golden Glow Viola and she is sired by Right Royal Sybil Raleigh, which animal was judged the Senior Champion bull of the show.

Sam's Golden Master, a junior yearling bull, belonging to Paul V. Slusher of Lexington was judged the Junior Champion bull and also, the Champion bull of the show.

Raleigh Princess Xenia, an aged cow, belonging to Mr. Slusher was judged Senior Champion female of the show and also, Grand Champion female.

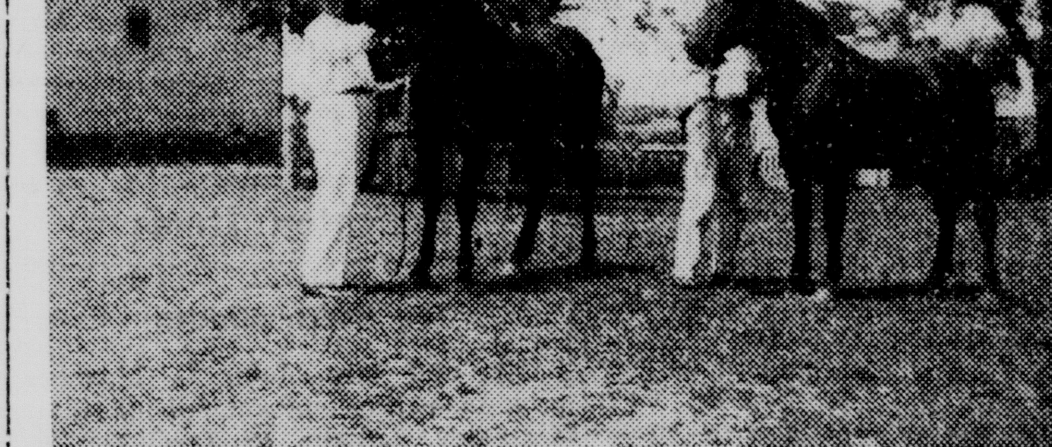
A heifer belonging to W. C. Monsees of Pettis County placed first in the Junior Yearling Heifer class.

D. T. Simonds, fieldman for the American Jersey Cattle Club from Fort Worth, Texas, judged the show. M. J. Regan, Extension Dairyman from the College, Paul C. Potter, Secretary-Treasurer of the Missouri Jersey Cattle Club, and Fred Idste, fieldman for the American Jersey Cattle Club, assisted with the show.

In addition to the show, a Farmers' and Junior Judging Contest was held in which one class of heifers and one class of cows were placed by the contestants. J. C. Jones, Sweet Springs; Paul V. Slusher, Lexington, and L. R. Johnson, Sweet Springs, tied for first place in the Farmers' Judging Contest. Each of these contestants placed one class right and switched a pair in the other class. Ralph Porter Wood of Smithton won the prize in the Junior Judging Contest.

The cash prizes which were given to these winners were made available through the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Simonds in placing the various classes commented that while the show was not large from the standpoint of the number of animals exhibited, he was very well pleased in that practically all of the animals were of a very desirable Jersey type.



Above: Missouri Colt Production Contest colts which made the required gain of 600 pounds in a year. The colts belong to G. R. Raines (right), Beaman, and H. R. White (left), Sedalia.

The Pettis County Colt Show held at the Thomson brothers farm at Beaman, last Tuesday, included classes for 4-H colts, of which there were seven entries, and Missouri Colt Production colts, of which two were eligible to show.

The above two colts belonging to Mr. Raines and Mr. White placed first and second, respectively, in the Colt Production class. The Raines filly was foaled on March 18, 1936, weighed into the contest on July 27, 1937, at 600 pounds and weighed out at the close of the year on July 27, 1937, at 1250 pounds. This is a total gain during the year of 650 pounds. The filly belonging to Mr. White was foaled on April 8, 1936, weighed into the contest on July 30, 1936, at 575

pounds and weighed out on July 27, 1937, at 1180 pounds, which makes a gain of 605 pounds during the year. These colts are sired by a registered Percheron stallion owned by Thomson brothers at Beaman, Mo.

Colts must be from mares and stallions of good draft type and receive the proper feed, care, and management during the entire growing period if they are to make a gain of 600 pounds in a year is the experience of men who had entries in this contest. Colts of this type will be an important factor in improving the work stock on farms in Pettis County.

The entries in the 4-H club class were from 4-H club members in La Monte and Beaman 4-H Colt

clubs. The five top colts, which will represent Pettis County at the State Fair at Sedalia, in the 4-H Club Colt Show were shown by the following: John Hunter Jones, La Monte; Chester Chalfant, La Monte; Eugene Summers, Beaman; Forrest McKenzie, Beaman; Charles Ferguson, Knob Noster.

A foot trimming demonstration conducted by T. A. Ewing, extension animal husbandman, from the college, was held in connection with the show. The value of good feed and legs of horses cannot be over emphasized and it is very essential that they receive the proper care.

Judging work was also conducted in connection with his show. One class of draft mares and a class of fat lambs were judged by the 4-H Club members attending the show. Mr. Ewing placed the two classes and discussed the reasons for such placing. The purpose of this judging work was to familiarize the 4-H Club members with the essentials that must be taken into consideration in judging the various types of livestock.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bary are parents of a son born Saturday, July 24. Mrs. G. F. Rose of Windesor, great-grandmother of the babe, is a guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. Bary and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood Calson of Kansas City announce the birth of a son July 18, who has been named Charles Oliver. Mr. Calvert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Calvert of Columbia and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Calvert of Green Ridge.

Mrs. L. H. Wadleigh who has been quite ill the past week is much improved.

Forrest White of St. Louis is spending his vacation with his sisters, Mrs. H. S. Gregory and sons, and Mrs. Fred Lee and family.

Miss Mildred Wilson who has been spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. Ira Brim, and Sedalia friends, returned to her position in Indianapolis Monday.

Misses Vivian Barnett and Ruth Smith are visiting relatives in Sedalia this past week.

Mrs. Mabel Martin of Kansas City is visiting at the home of her father, J. H. Chaney and Mrs. Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roberts of Tarkio, Mo., visited Sunday with Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward. They were enroute with a party of friends to Colorado for a three weeks vacation. Little Rose Mary Roberts remained with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Phillips and daughter Miss Ethel of Eldorado Springs, came Friday for a visit to Mrs. Phillips' sisters Mrs. A. W. Baker and family and Mrs. R. N. Smith and family and at the homes of Mr. Phillips' nieces, Mrs. E. H. Boltz and Mrs. William Wharton.

Mrs. Phillips will remain for a week's visit. Mr. Phillips and daughter returned to Eldorado Springs Sunday evening.

Miss Nellie Close who will receive her B. S. in education with a major in home economics degree from Central Missouri State Teachers College at Warrensburg next Thursday has accepted a position as teacher of home economics in the high school at Russellville, Mo. Miss Mattie Close will attend the graduation exercises of her daughter at Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purchase had as Sunday guests the following relatives: Mrs. Nell Helman and son Eugene Helman of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Purchase, Mrs. Eliza Lewis, Mrs. Myrtle Farley and daughters Dorothy and Geneva, Mrs. Zora Johnson, Mrs. J. D. Smith and daughters Margaret and Dorothy and sons Tommy and Bobby.

Miss Louise Ream is the guest of her uncle Oliver Calvert and wife at Columbia this week.

The J. O. Y. class of the Presbyterian church, an intermediate class of boys and girls, taught by Mrs. Phyllis McCampbell, enjoyed a picnic at Liberty park Tuesday. Both dinner and supper were enjoyed at the park together with swimming and skating. Class members present were Polly Ann Myers, Jean Rice, Gaudine Paul, Julian Ream, Elaine Ray, Elizabeth Lee, Billy Stalk, Gordon Osborn, Arnold Brownfield. Others present were Mrs. Rance Ray and son Dale, and daughter Miss Pauline Ray, Mrs. Earl Romig and Miss Myrtle McCampbell.

The following relatives were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ray last Thursday and assisted Mrs. Ray with a quilt; Mrs. Rollie Mosby, Mrs. Arch Ray, Mrs. Ben Razar, Mrs. Lydia Yows, Miss Nellie Jones, Mrs. G. H. Ray, Mrs. L. B. Shaw. A happy day

was enjoyed together. Little Marjorie Frances Ray accompanied her aunt, Mrs. Mosley home for a few days visit.

A visit of much pleasure to their relatives and friends here is that of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Clark and children, Marie, Frances, Dorothy and Jack of Boone, Iowa, and Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Earl Richards of Mt. Airy, Iowa. On Wednesday they visited the ladies sister, Mrs. Homer Howe and family at Ionia. On Friday night another sister, Mrs. John Proctor and husband entertained the Iowa relatives and others here at supper.

On Sunday a family reunion was held with the brother John Pfaff and sisters, Misses Ruth and Alberta Pfaff at their farm home northwest of town which was attended by the following sisters, Mrs. Phyllis McCampbell and daughters Miss Mary and Anna Kite and son Daniel Ray, Mrs. George purchase and Mr. Purchase and Mr. Proctor, Mrs. Homer Howe, Mr. Howe and daughter Lillian of Ionia, Postmaster F. E. Ream and sons James, William, Melvin and Phillip, daughters Misses Marian, Ellen Ivan, of Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Romig and Miss Myrtle McCampbell of Sedalia.

Lincoln Items

(By Maye Messersmith)

Miss John Milton, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Milton of Sedalia, visited a few days recently in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wischmeier, Jr.

Misses Helen and Edna Wenig, who are students in C. M. S. T. C., at Warrensburg this summer, spent the past week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Wenig, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. George "Wilton" Day of Edenburgh, Texas, visited here a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Ott of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Cochran of Warsaw, Dr. and Mrs. S. O. Stratton and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moor and two children spent Sunday at Bennett Springs State Park.

Tom Wickliffe of Warsaw is staying with Monroe Stevens, who is ill. What came near being a disastrous fire was averted by quick work on the part of Mrs. Beulah Harden and others last Tuesday evening, when the awning over the window in Dr. O. L. Cuddy's waiting room in the Farmers Bank building caught on fire. Ernest Wickham discovered the blaze when he entered the waiting room and he reported it to Mrs. Harden at the telephone switchboard. The window sash had started to burn, and if it had reached the curtains over the window, no doubt the damage would have been much greater. It is not known how the awning became ignited.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto C. Kreissler and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hustler, near Cole Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. List and Mrs. Joseph Meuschke.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bruns, Jr., of Green Ridge were here last Monday visiting his father, Henry Bruns, Sr., and his daughter, Mrs. Annie Vogler.

Mrs. Lewis Crawford and brother, John Fields of Warsaw visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Holloway.

Misses Nan and Margaret Mahken, of Ionia, were here a short time last Friday morning calling on Mrs. Jane Carpenter and daughter, Miss Mabel, who accompanied them to Smithton where they visited with Mrs. Henry Mahken and Mrs. John Ratje.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Hare and Mrs. C. H. Carpenter returned home Friday from a brief visit in Guthrie, Oklahoma City and Cement, Okla. Miss Glenn Dell Carpenter who had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Carpenter in Guthrie, came home with them.

Mrs. Alice Attwood visited several days recently south of town with her daughter, Mrs. Will Craig and other relatives.

Miss Joan Milton of Sedalia spent last Thursday afternoon and night with Miss Anna Ruth Wischmeier.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wischmeier, Jr., visited last Sunday in Sedalia with Mr. and Mrs. Merlin McCandless and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Attwood and son Walter, visited in Sedalia last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bayler.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Bennett and daughter, Irma Jean, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Labahn.

Miss Alice Kays of Warsaw, visited here from Tuesday to Sunday with friends.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Holland were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanes and family of the Pleasant neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Umstead and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and their son, all of Ionia, Mrs. Ivy Mothersbaugh and her daughters, Mary Jane

and Anna Lewis were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry.

Mrs. H. A. Rodman of Smithville was a weekend guest here of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom. On Sunday she with her parents, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom in Green Ridge.

Tipton Items

(By Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass)

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hartman of south of Tipton, are being congratulated on the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Tuesday, July 27th, weighing eight pounds.

Mrs. Hartman was Miss Helen Fry before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ferguson had as house guests from Friday evening until Sunday evening, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crider and infant daughter, Carolyn, and Mr. Crider's sister, Mrs. Dale Knepper and Mr. Knepper of St. Louis.

Mr. Gerhardt Hundhausen left Friday for a month's stay as the guest of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hundhausen of Anaconda, Mont.

Mr. Wayne Glasgow, older son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Glasgow, of Tipton and Miss Gladys

Windsor Items

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Avery, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Farmer and Mrs. Warren Moffett attended a birthday dinner for Mrs. J. W. Goodin Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payton near Sedalia. Mrs. Goodin and family are former Windsor people with a host of friends here who wish her health and happiness.

Mrs. William Gant, born Nancy Jane Tindal, September 13, 1857 in Benton county, died July 31, 1937 at her home in Roseland. She was married to Daniel McMillen in young girlhood and to this union six children were born: Perry and Mrs. Blanche Van Hoozer, who preceded her in death; Mrs. Cora Shaffer of Niagara, Falls, New York; Mrs. Josephine Taylor of Buffalo, New York; Mrs. Sarelda Parker of Fort Worth, Texas; and Dan McMillen of Windsor. Mr. McMillen died and left her with five small children. Later she was married to William Gant. To this union there were five children born: John and Myrtle of the home; Ira of near Palo Pinto. Two children died in infancy. Mr. Gant preceded her in death April 6, 1926. Mrs. Gant leaves her seven children, eleven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Funeral services were held at McIntyre chapel, Sunday, August 1 at 4 o'clock with Rev. Winton the pastor in charge. Mrs. Mitchell McClung was in charge of the music. The pallbearers were T. E. Devasher, J. I. English, Vest Stevens, Harry Scheele, Jim Montoya and Willie Uhlenbock. Interment was in the McIntyre chapel cemetery.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Nell Douglas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Douglas of Kansas City, to Mr. Charles Clinton Gaston, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gaston, took place at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday evening, July 31. The Rev. R. Fuller Jandon read the service before an improvised altar of ferns and palms. Ivory tapers in tall branch standards stood on either side of the altar and were lighted by Master Billy Ford. Mrs. R. Fuller Jandon sang, "I Love You Truly" and "O Promise Me." The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pink organza and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and gladioli. Miss Ruth Hand of Windsor, a cousin of the bride, was the maid of honor, she wore a floor length gown of delphinium blue lace and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. William Brumwell acted as best man for Mr. Gaston. A reception was held after the ceremony. Following a motor trip Mr. and Mrs. Gaston will be at home at the Brownmour apartments on The Paseo at Armour, Kansas City. The guests from Windsor were Mrs. William Nine, Jr., Miss Ruth Hand and Mrs. T. C. Harris.

The following group of young ladies enjoyed an outing at the park last Wednesday night: Virginia Renfro, Ruth Hand, Lucille Hull, Adeline Ira, Roberta Griffith, Ruth Annette Sutherland, Josephine May and Melva Sims.

The annual Taylor-Pickett reunion was held Sunday in Rich Hill, Mo., at the park with fifty-two in attendance. In honor of an uncle, Jim McKithin, 87 years of age. Those who were present were: Mr. McKithin, Mrs. Robb and Shelley McKithin of Milo; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor of Rich Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Pickett and five children of Butler; Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Richardson and Mary Lee of Mt. Hope, Kas.; Miss Hortense Taylor of Jefferson City; Mrs. and Mrs. Burnett of Des Moines, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sappington and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sappington of Knob Noster; Buddie Cooper of Higginsville; Mr. and Mrs. Porter Baker and two sons of Leeton; Mrs. Harry Baker and two children of Leeton; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moffett; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Taylor, Mildred Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Cooper and grandson, Danny Lee Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carter, all of Windsor and Mrs. Paul Craig and daughter, Annetta of Boonville.

Mrs. Glenn Kilburn of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Milner.

Mrs. Paul Craig and Annetta returned to her home at Boonville after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Carter and sister, Mrs. F. W. Richardson.

Mrs. Frank Coit entertained in honor of her daughter, Jacky's fourth birthday from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. Monday afternoon. A very happy afternoon was spent playing games. Mrs. Coit served ice cream and cake. Clever favors in the form of different animals made from gum drops and decorated with cloves was presented each guest. Those present were: the honor guest Jacky Coit, Marian Cobey, Virginia Ferguson, Leo Chaney, Sonny Patterson, Dorothy Lee Sampson, Gloria Seal, Margaret Boney, Jimmie Sutherland, Julius Wall Jr., Anna Mae Spencer, Junior Hutler, Barbara Bumpas, Ginger Howard, Janet Lou Chipman, Bobby Lee Maxwell, Shirley Cunningham, Bobby and Virginia Sue Coit.

Mrs. Ben Peyton and Mrs. J. W. Goodin were guests Tuesday of Mrs. J. W. Baker.

Harold Hall and wife left last Thursday for Long Beach, Calif., after several weeks' visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hall.

Mrs. John Wesner entertained at her home on Washington street last week in honor of her house guest, Mrs. L. M. Kachen of Fresno, Calif. Guests were seated at five

tables, where bridge was the pastime. First award went to Mrs. R. H. Martin, low Mrs. Walter Stark. Travel award to Mrs. Bernard Gallagher. Gift prizes to Mrs. Kachen and Miss Katherine Acker of Kansas City. A lunch was served at the conclusion of the games.

Miss Helen Cecil of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Burna Cecil Vohey of Columbus, Ohio and Miss Louise Cecil of Clinton, were guests last Wednesday of Mrs. W. T. Jordan and Jerry Jordan. They were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bradley.

Mrs. W. E. Huston returned last week from Washington, D. C. and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts and baby and Mrs. Mehl left Sunday on a trip west.

Jerry Jordan, Mrs. W. T. Jordan, Frank Winzenried and Mrs. B. Ball of Ft. Worth, Texas, spent Sunday at Bagwell dam and Bennett Springs. Mesdames George Wesner and Marvin Oakes gave a bridge party last Wednesday evening at the Oakes home with Mrs. ... as the honor guest. Mrs. ... Gallagher won the first prize. Mrs. Gladys McDonald, ... prize. Mrs. Louis Griefe, ... was presented to Mrs. ... Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stumpenhous spent the weekend in Concordia.

Miss Stella Tryon left Tuesday for Sedalia for a short visit with friends before returning to Versailles. Miss Stella came last Saturday for a week end visit with Misses Mabel and Emma Carpenter. Miss Lucille Hall went to Eldon, Mo., Saturday to spend the week with friends.

Mrs. Rowe and two daughters visited last Friday with Mrs. Ed Doss and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richardson and Mary Lee left Monday morning for their home at Mt. Hope, Kas., after a ten days' vacation here with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richardson and Mrs. C. A. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowen accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wells spent Sunday with Miss Nelle Thompson and family in Kansas City and visited the Nelson art gallery.

Mrs. L. M. Kachen, who had been visiting Mrs. John Wesner and family left Friday for her home at Fresno, California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson had as their guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richardson, Raymond Larison and family of Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Hale Marti and family. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Kenneth Miller of Sedalia, was operated on last Friday at the Moffett sanitarium for appendicitis. His condition is considered very favorable.

Houstonia Items

Mrs. Clarence Killian and daughter, Betty, of Idaho, who have spent several weeks here with her mother Mrs. Ocie Wicker and family, will leave Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Ocie Wicker, Mrs. Trislie Houchen, Mrs. Russell Wicker and little daughter, Edith Anne for Denver, and a trip to the Grand Canyon. From there Mrs. Clarence Killian and daughter Betty will go to their home in Idaho and the others in the party will return here in a week or ten days.

Miss Christine Vanatta was graduated from Warrensburg State Teachers' college Wednesday morning. Miss Vanatta received a B. S. in education with a major in English. She is a graduate of Houstonia high school and teaches in Houstonia grade school, Room 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hall of Marshall spent Sunday with Mrs. Hall's brother, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Parkhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eckles attended the band tournament Thursday night in Marshall.

Mrs. P. E. Sifton of Columbia spent a few days here with her mother, Mrs. Dora Vanatta.

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of near Malta Bend spent Sunday with Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. F. W. Huebner, who accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dickinson and sons attended a dinner Sunday at the W. A. Trent home at Marshall Junction.

Lawson Price of Jefferson City spent Monday here on business.

Russell Cromley, who is a student of the Missouri university spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Tom Westbrook and daughter, Miss Ethel Westbrook and Mrs. Dora Vanatta spent Friday afternoon with friends at Knob Noster. Mr. and Mrs. Marian Belsha are parents of a girl born Saturday morning, July 31.

Miss Ethel Westbrook and friend of Knob Noster and friends of Marshall are spending a few days at Dunlap, Mo., with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Skillman of Sedalia were Sunday guests of Mrs. Venie Skillman and Miss Hattie Skillman.

Mrs. Bettie Crews spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. James Blackburn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jobe and daughter, Virginia, moved the first of this week to the tenant house on the Joe Blackburn farm. The Jobe family came from Tulsa, Okla., and have been staying the past few weeks with Mr. Jobe's mother, Mrs. N. W. Johnson and Mr. Johnson.

Miss Beatrice Milliken has returned to her employment at Sedalia after a vacation visit here with her parents.

Mrs. Ed Miller and baby were in Marshall Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn entertained at a 6 o'clock supper on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs.

Lawrence Harris and sons of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Harris Jr. and son Jimmie.

The Monday night bridge club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Jay Dorsey. Those present were: Mrs. O. A. Milliken, Mrs. Nathan Harris, Mrs. J. W. Rissler, Mrs. Early Davis, Miss Margaret Scott, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevbaugh, Mrs. Dewey Houchen. High score went to Miss Tevbaugh and low to Mrs. Houchen. The hostess served candy during the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Newsom and sons left Tuesday morning for Independence, Kas., for a week or ten days. They will visit relatives at Independence, Kas., their former home. Mr. Newsom is employed at the pipe line station here.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burt and little daughter returned Saturday from a ten day visit with relatives in Illinois. Mr. Burt is employed at the Panhandle Eastern pipe line station.

Misses Mary and Frances Dyer of Amity, Mo., who are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert French and family spent the week end at Warrensburg with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and son and daughter and husband of Texas, came Monday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. Franklin and daughter.

Mrs. E. B. Kilhou and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Killian and Mrs. Rankin Martin were Sedalia shoppers Monday morning.

Knob Noster

Mrs. Mary Clark entertained the Swastika club at her home Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Margaret O'Brien of Jonesville, Wis., as a guest. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent in needlework and conversation. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Members present were Mesdames P. G. Utley, Charles Covey, Nick Gillum, Charles Saults, Ray Kelley, E. C. Littlefield, Russell Kendrick, Earl Sappington, Queen Spiess, Jenks Covey and W. J. Carr.

Mrs. Vinton Bugbee and baby son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bugbee.

Mrs. W. T. Boyd and daughter Martha Lou left Thursday for Kansas City to visit her aunt, Mrs. James Cook and Mr. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overmier of Sedalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Underwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Houchen, son Emory Zade of Aullville, Mo., spent Sunday with Mrs. Houchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jenkins.

Bobby Holloway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Holloway of Boonville is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kendrick and daughter Dorothy Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Easley and son Ray Earl visited at the scout camp at Osceola Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Zuber, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Zuber of Emporia, Kas., left Sunday morning for a fishing trip in Minnesota.

Mrs. Alpheus Boyd left Sunday for a few days visit with her sister Mrs. Howard Hart and Mr. Hart of Kansas City.

Newton McDonald, who is taking treatments at California, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O. McDonald.

Mrs. Walter J. Carr spent Friday with Miss Mildred Rogers of LaMonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Butler enjoyed the week end with Mr. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Butler. Francis Elwell arrived home last week from Centerville, Mo., after spending the past four weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Colster.

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seven miles north of Marshall, died Monday afternoon at the Fitzgibbon hospital in Marshall.

LaMonte Items

Guy Berry, of Warrensburg, was elected Monday evening by the board of education to teach mathematics and science and act as athletic director in the high school to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Willis Wagner, also of Warrensburg, who was elected a week ago, but resigned to accept a position in the schools at Liberty.

Mrs. H. H. Levi and two daughters, Dorothy and Mary Elizabeth of Carrollton, Ill., visited from Friday until Wednesday evening with her aunt, Mrs. Lena Keller and cousins, Miss Mary Keller and Mrs. Albert Yokley and other relatives.

Rev. C. E. Sullens had his tonsils removed Monday by Dr. D. P. Dyer in his office in Sedalia. He returned home that evening and is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. Joe Marshall and granddaughter, Rosalie Marshall, spent Sunday with her son, Paul and family in Columbia. Miss Maxine Scott who had been spending a week there returned home with them.

Mrs. Ella Morris went to Sedalia Monday where she visited Mrs. Morris Simms and two children of Oklahoma City, Okla., who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lamm. Mr. Simms is a grandson of Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Pfeffer and children, Patty Lou, T. F. Jr., and Alice Kathryn of Albuquerque, N. Mex., arrived Monday for a two weeks' visit with her uncle, J. L. Johnson and family and with relatives and friends in Johnson county.

Mrs. W. H. Hughes returned Saturday to her home in Camdenot after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Jackson. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jackley and son, Billy. Billy remained for a visit while Mr. Jackson's niece, Miss Bonnie Roofner of near Camdenot returned home with them for a visit here.

Miss Isabel Cramer who has been attending teachers' college in Warrensburg arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. C. B. Miles.

H. L. Bain has closed out his business here and had a public auction Monday of his store fixtures and household goods. He left for Kansas City, Mrs. Bain and son, Marvin Kern, went to Fort Scott, Kas., for a visit with relatives.

A meeting of the Young People's Union of the Methodist church was held here Monday evening with about ninety present. Winton Young of Sweet Springs, the newly elected president presided. Major Douglas of Windsor sang a solo. The program was in the form of an echo meeting of the summer assembly at Fayette. A number of good talks were made by delegates who attended.

Miss Lucille Parker, who has employment in Dayton, Ohio, arrived Sunday afternoon for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Parker and grandmother, Mrs. Emma O'Bannon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Browning and three children, Shirley Deane, "Buddy" and Donna Sue of Kansas City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nickel.

Miss Naomi Mayes of Dexter, Mo., arrived Saturday evening for a visit with Mrs. J. M. Carpenter and other friends.

Mrs. William Rogers and daughter Miss Mildred Rogers entertained at 1 o'clock dinner Friday, the following guests: Mrs. Walter Carr of Knob Noster; Mrs. Emma O'Bannon, Mrs. B. F. Parker, Mrs. W. E. Walker, Mrs. George Swope, Mrs. J. A. Cross and Miss Dora Connor.

Mrs. L. E. McMullin and children Betty and Roy, of Denver, Colo., arrived Friday for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shelley. Her sister, Minnie Downs of Kansas City, was a week end visitor at the Shelley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marshall entertained at dinner Sunday in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Carl Ragar of Green Marshall, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Carl Ragar. Other guests were: Mrs. Carl Ragar, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ragar, Mrs. Alice Ragar and Allan Ragar, all of Green Ridge and Joe Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Epperson and sons, J. R. Joe and Horace, made a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Reynolds and other friends. Their little daughter, Mary Lou, who had spent the week here returned home with them. Another returned home with them, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Butler, Mr. and Mrs. baby son spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds.

Among those from LaMonte who attended the commencement exercises Thursday morning of C. M. S. T. C. in Warrensburg were Mrs. S. T. C. in Warrensburg and daughter, Mrs. H. L. McCune and her mother, Miss Mildred Morris, Mrs. guest, Miss Mildred daughter, Miss William Rogers and Mrs. C. N. Moore, Mildred Rogers, Mrs. C. N. Moore, Mrs. C. L. Clingan, Mrs. Mary Patton, Misses Daisy Kemp, Ethel Bobbitt and Irene Smiley.

Mrs. Mary V. Wimer has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Dorsey in Houstonia.

Uel Weide of Pittsfield, who has been making his home with Mrs. R. L. Oder, who have rooms at the home of Mrs. L. H. French and Miss Fern Hampton of Pittsfield were married Thursday evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. A. H. Fuhr, a Baptist minister. They spent home in Warrensburg. They spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oder. They have now gone to the housekeeping in a trailer on the lot occupied by the Ray Wise sawmill. Mr. Weide drives a truck and hauls logs for Mr. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sartin, son George Ed of Lees Summit enjoyed the week end with Mr. Sartin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sartin.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kendrick and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson of Green Ridge Sunday.

Rosemary Lay, Betty Ann Covey and Jean Adams are spending a week at the Montserrat recreation park.

Shirley Easley was in LaMonte Monday afternoon on business. Frances Beatty and Vivian Chalfant visited in Warrensburg Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Mills, daughters Charlotte and Laura Madeline of Osceola were guests of Judge and Mrs. H. A. Wimer and family over the week end.

Mrs. Frank Jenks and Mrs. Walter J. Carr were guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Concordia Tuesday.

Marshall Farmer Dies

E. Y. Glasscock, farmer, living

Bunceton Items

(By Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson)

Mrs. W. W. Pace and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Nevada, spent from Monday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moore, going from here to Sedalia where they are visiting a nephew, Manford Taylor and wife.

Mrs. J. N. Moore went to Ottaville Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kountz and Miss Lydia Harris attended the funeral of Mrs. Nina Masley in Ottaville Friday.

Miss Willie Harris and Miss Clara Louise Culley returned home Friday from a several days visit with friends at Camdenot and Rolla.

Mrs. J. B. Daniel and son Raymond went to Sedalia Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Effie Spillers and other relatives.

Miss Dacan Steveson of Boonville spent the week-end with Miss Jean Biltz.

Mrs. Paul McDonnell and children returned to their home in Chicago Saturday after a week's visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Knettle went to Tulsa, Okla., Saturday for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Smith and Mrs. W. I. Roe and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Smith and daughter spent Wednesday fishing at the Lake of the Ozarks.

Charlie Shirley and family of near Boonville spent Sunday with his sister, Miss Sue Shirley.

Mr. and F. E. English and son, Henry of near Columbia, spent Friday with his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Grooms.

Mrs. W. E. Harris and daughter, Miss Willie and H. C. Harris spent Sunday in Moberly with T. E. and M. C. Harris and families Billie Harris who spent the past week with his grandmother returned home.

Mrs. W. T. Hedgpath and daughter Jamie Jean and nieces Dorothy Ellen and Delores Dix and Mrs. J. R. Kountz spent Saturday afternoon in Boonville.

Walter Hanson and family of Memphis, Tenn., returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit with relatives here and in Boonville.

Mrs. H. H. English returned home Sunday from a visit with Mrs. Laura Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford near Speed.

Miss Sue Shirley spent Saturday with relatives in Boonville.

Miss Virginia Whitney returned home Saturday from an extended visit with Miss Louise Schlotzhauer near Pilot Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Woltrum and Mrs. Nettie Hedgpath spent Sunday at St. Charles with Mrs. Ethel Hedgpath. Leola Virginia Hedgpath returned home after a month's visit with her grandmother.

Thomas Taylor Woolery returned home Saturday from a several weeks visit with relatives and friends at Houston, Texas, Oklahoma City and Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis of St. Louis, spent a short time Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Smith. Mr. Davis is a cousin of Mr. Smith.

Mrs. C. F. Edmonston spent Sunday night and Monday with her daughters, Mrs. H. F. Shinn and Mrs. J. R. Kountz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. Lem DeFord and son of Kansas City spent Sunday with James Richey and family.

Smithton Items

(By Esther Grotjan)

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Monsees announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorene, to Ferdinand E. C. Se, the wedding to take place in November. Mr. Cruse is a commercial designer with a printing company in Kansas City. Miss Monsees has been employed at Sears Roebuck & Co. of Kansas City for four years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stone of Leeton and their sons, Wallace and daughter, Viona, of Kansas City, visited with Mr. Stone's sister, Mrs. D. S. Culp and Mr. Culp Wednesday.

Liburn Lujin is visiting with his uncle, A. H. Grotjan and family of Holden.

Lloyd Hayden Knox left Saturday for San Francisco, Calif., where he is visiting his brother, Cecil Knox and family.

Dr. Henry Rompel of Ottawa, Ill., is visiting relatives and friends. He delivered a sermon at the union service at the Smithton park Sunday evening. Dr. Rompel was selected delegate on a good will tour last year at which time he visited Germany, Norway, Sweden and Denmark.

F. E. Cruse of Kansas City, was the guest at the John L. Monsees home Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Smith of California, Mo., visit 1 with her father, Harvey Sanders Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bohon and daughter, Marie Bell and son Billie of Enid, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Bohon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Montgomery Sr. and other relatives.

Wm. Jack B. Jr., has returned from Winfield, Kas., where he has been racing with his trotting horse, Calumet Fearless.

Mrs. Fred Page, Mrs. Wm. Montgomery Sr. and Mrs. Henry Ficken and children visited with Mrs. Ficken's mother, Mrs. A. Anton of Lincoln Monday, it being Mrs. Anton's birthday.

John M. Poundstone, who has employment at Washington, D. C., and is visiting his parents in Sedalia, was the guest of Aiden Newmeyer Saturday and Sunday.

Martha Lee Harrison of Knob Noster was the week end guest

of her brother, Professor and Mrs. John M. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poe and son, J. E., of Syracuse, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Watring.

Mrs. Lena Morrison spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. O. R. Demand.

C. L. Hampy of Florence, visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ellison last week.

Mrs. Margaret Homan returned home Saturday after visiting with her son, Homer of Kansas City for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mahnen and son Gerald and Mrs. Josie Meyers visited with relatives in Alma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Monsees and Dr. Henry Rompel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kahrs Monday.

Prof. and Mrs. John M. Harris are in Warrensburg this week. Prof. Harris is taking an examination at the state normal.

Walter Homan is spending a week in Ottaville visiting relatives and friends.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Clara Tickamyer

Mrs. Clara Tickamyer, 63 years old, wife of William H. Tickamyer, well known resident of Pettis county, passed away at the family home north of Sedalia on highway No. 65 about 7 o'clock Monday night.

Mrs. Tickamyer was born at Stepstone, Ky., June 17, 1874, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Karriek. She came to Pettis county to reside about thirty years ago.

Surviving her is her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Robert Rogers of Sedalia, three sons, Cecil H. Tickamyer of Overland Park, Kas., Jesse and Ray Tickamyer, both of Sedalia, and a foster son, Maynard King, of Longwood. Six sisters, Mrs. T. J. Raines, Mrs. A. J. Karriek of Hughesville and Mrs. Ollie Raines of Longwood, Miss Bell Karriek and Mrs. Jessie Tevis of Housatonia and Mrs. John Duffield of Sedalia, two brothers, M. H. Karriek and Shelton Karriek both of Housatonia, also survive.

She was a member of the Bethlehem Christian church near Longwood.

George Pickrell

George Pickrell, died at the Terry Hotel about 10:30 o'clock Monday night. His age was undetermined but friends believed him to be about 72 years old.

He has been a clerk at the hotel for the past thirty years and at the time of his death was living there.

Funeral services will be conducted at Appleton City about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. Interment will be in the cemetery there.

Thomas Herold Clopton Dies

Thomas Herold Clopton, 34 years old, well known Sedalian, passed away at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Clopton, 1004 South Missouri avenue, about 7:45 Sunday morning, following an illness of several months.

He was born in Ft. Scott, Kansas, March 21, 1903 and when a baby came to Sedalia with his parents. He was educated in old Prospect school. Later he attended the Sedalia high school for three years, after which he moved to Jefferson City where he completed his high school education. After residing in Jefferson City for about six years he returned with his parents to Sedalia in 1926 and has since resided here.

Mr. Clopton for several years was employed at the Pacific Cafe. He was a member of the First Christian church.

Surviving are his parents, two brothers Melvin Morris Clopton of the home, and Clarence Clopton, of 1013 South Lamine avenue, his grandfather J. W. Taylor, an aunt, Miss Edna Taylor, of 521 North Prospect avenue, also two aunts, Mrs. H. A. Meyer of 520 North Quincy and Mrs. Bettie Mae Holcroft of 401 West Tenth street.

Funeral of Mrs. A. A. Poteet
Funeral services for Mrs. Allen A. Poteet, 610 West Sixty-seventh street, who died Saturday were held Monday afternoon at the Stine & McClure chapel. Burial was in Mount Missouri cemetery.

Mr. Poteet was a former Sedalian. Mrs. Poteet was born in Kansas City October 6, 1893, a member of a prominent Kansas City family. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John H. Thompson, both of whom are dead.

Mrs. Poteet leaves her husband, who is a vice-president of Stern Brothers & Co., Kansas City; two daughters, Miss Nancy Poteet, 16 years old, and Miss Virginia Poteet, 14 years old, both of the home; a sister, Mrs. Richard P. Worrall of New York City, and a brother, John H. Thompson, 6518 Jefferson street, Kansas City, president of the John H. Thompson Construction company.

Mrs. Poteet was widely known in Kansas City through her work in civic groups and women's organizations. Believing firmly in the value of an interest by women in affairs of the community, she gave unstintingly of her time and efforts in many fields.

She was a member of the Woman's City club and had served on its board of directors. Active in the League of Women Voters, she served at one time as the president of the Kansas City group of that organization.

A member of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, she worked in various phases of church activities, that parish, especially devoting time to the women's guild. She also was active in work of the Camp Fire Girls organization, serving many years as a guardian.

In the fall of 1914, after she had returned from studies in Europe, she was instrumental in organizing the Kansas City chapter of the Junior League and was a charter member of the chapter here. Many of the first meetings of the chapter were at her home.

Mrs. Poteet attended the old Hyde Park school and later studied at Barstow college and in Paris and Lucerne. At Barstow she was a member of the Delta Kappa Phi sorority.

She and Mr. Poteet were married January 5, 1918, in Kansas City.

Leonard Otten Glenn Dies
Leonard Otten Glenn, son of Mrs. John M. Glenn, 417 West Fifth street, and the late Captain J. M. Glenn, died Saturday morning in a hospital at Redondo Beach, Calif. He had been ill several weeks, the result of complications caused by an attack of flu last year.

Mr. Glenn was born in Sedalia January 4, 1888 and was reared here. He served his apprenticeship

Home Built By Major William Gentry



Recently purchased from W. S. Cotton by Todd W. Cloney, 509 West Broadway, a grandson of the pioneer whose home it was more than eighty years ago.

The lovely brick home, shown above, located three miles north of Sedalia, on the road which leads north from State Fair Boulevard and Main street, was built in 1854 by the late Major William Gentry, a member of one of the early and prominent Pettis county families. Through its sale recently by W. S. Cotton to Todd W. Cloney, it will again become the home of a member of the family of the original

owner, for Mr. Cloney's mother was a daughter of Major Gentry.

A letter, written February 1, 1854, states that "Will Gentry," as he was called, had stone quarried and hauled for his new house, and a little later another letter gave the information that he had 100,000 bricks made for his new home. Major William Gentry then owned 10,000 acres of land, and his hospitality extended in his new home, was known far and wide.

Major Gentry's daughter, Mary Elvira Gentry, was married to Abijah Hughes, and their son, W. H. Cloney, of this city was born in the home pictured above.

After Mr. Hughes' death his widow, Mary Gentry Hughes, married Thomas W. Cloney, and her young son, William H. Hughes took the name of Cloney. Todd W. Cloney is a son of this second marriage.

Mr. Cotton retains possession of the farm until December.

Salient Points In Wage-Hour Bill As Passed By The Senate

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Here are answers to questions about the wage and hour bill which passed the senate. The house may make some revisions.

Q. What workers would be affected by the wage and hour provisions?

A. Potentially most of those who now receive less than 40 cents an hour or who work more than 40 hours a week and are engaged in preparation of goods to be shipped across state lines.

Q. Who would be affected by other provisions?

A. Children employed in production of goods for interstate shipment. They would be barred from such work until 16 years old, and in hazardous industries until 18.

Q. Would the bill affect the wages and hours of workers in a factory which sold the bulk of its products in the state where it was located?

A. Yes, if the goods were found to be competing to a "substantial extent" with industries engaged in interstate commerce.

Q. How about persons employed in service trades, such as laundry workers, barbers and other purely local occupations?

A. Proponents said the bill would not affect them. They would be left exclusively to state regulation.

Q. Would any occupations be excluded specifically from the operation of the act?

A. Yes, agricultural labor, most railroad workers, seamen, fishermen and persons engaged in a bona-fide executive, administrative, professional or local retailing capacity would not be covered. Some purely seasonal occupations, motor transport drivers and air transport pilots would not be subjected to hours regulation.

Q. Would eligible workers immediately be entitled to a wage of 40 cents an hour and a maximum work week of 40 hours if the bill becomes law?

A. No. There would be no compulsory change in existing wages or hours until ordered by a labor standards board created to administer the law. The board could not compel payment of a wage higher than 40 cents an hour. It could not impose a work week of less than 40 hours.

Q. How soon would such orders be made?

A. The board could not make a labor standard order for any industry until it appointed an advisory committee composed of representa-

tives of employers and employees. A public hearing then would be required. No order could become effective until 120 days after passage of the bill.

Q. What penalty would be imposed for failure of an employer to establish standards directed by the board?

A. His products would be barred from interstate trade, and he would be subjected to fine and imprisonment.

Q. Are there any conditions under which an employer might work longer than the number of hours specified by the board?

A. Overtime work ordinarily would be permissible if paid for at a time and one-half wage. The board could modify its orders to meet special circumstances, such as work of a seasonal or emergency nature.

FIVE ACCUSED IN "HIGHWAY PIRACY"

By The Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 31.—In a drive against "highway piracy" Otto Schmid, assistant U. S. district attorney charged five men today with plundering a freight truck recently of 160 cases of eggs.

Schmid said the two produce dealers and three former truck drivers charged had admitted participating in 15 hijackings since last November, seizing loot estimated to be worth \$25,000.

The egg holdup occurred three days ago near Cameron, Mo. The truck driver was bound and left in his trailer.

Named in the charge were George A. Billbreath, 32, Claycomo, Mo.; Elmo L. Seymour, 32, and Arthur Davis, 32, both of Kansas City, and Frank Sabile, 32, Kansas City, and Lloyd H. Butler, 25, Hume, Mo. The latter two are produce dealers.

FIND FARMER'S BODY HANGING IN TREE

By The Associated Press.

TRENTON, Mo., July 31.—The body of Guy S. Kincaid, 47, farmer living south of here, was found hanging in a tree today near his farm.

Neighbors, who had not seen Kincaid since Thursday, began searching for him last night after discovering his livestock had not been tended for some time. Dr. J. F. Fair, coroner, said the farmer apparently hanged himself at least 36 hours before his body was found.

Officers And Still They Found



Sheriff W. L. Marlin and Deputy Sheriff Clyde Coppers (the two on the left) standing behind a still they found in the timber on a farm fifteen miles north of Sedalia. Reuben Logan, found on the premises was arrested and turned over to federal officers. The third man in the picture, John Starkey, on the right, is a deputy sheriff in charge of the jail.

STARK LASHES STEPS FOR 'GAS' TAX REFERENDUM

Insists Increase Necessary To Complete Farm-To-Market Roads

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 2.—Governor Lloyd C. Stark lashed out today at the proposed referendum of the gasoline tax, and said the state's farm-to-market road system could not be completed unless the levy was increased from 2 cents to 3 cents a gallon.

The referendum is being supported by the Automobile Club of Missouri and oil companies.

The question of whether the tax should be increased 1 cent a gallon would be referred to the people at the general election in November, 1938. Defeat of the proposal at that time would prevent the increase approved by the 59th general assembly two months ago from going into effect on December 7, 1938.

"I hope the people of Missouri will not permit the oil companies or their employees at the filling stations to wreck Missouri's farm-to-market road system by killing the 1-cent gasoline tax increase approved by the last legislature," the governor said.

"The legislature represents the people," he added, "and the big oil companies, at least one of which is largely controlled by citizens of a foreign nation, care nothing about the Missouri farmer or city citizen, or his welfare."

The governor said he "hoped the citizens of Missouri" knew he had no motive in making the statement other than for the welfare of the highway system.

"Especially am I anxious," he continued, "to see the completion of the farm-to-market system, and the necessary widening and straightening of some of our major highways to promote better service and greater safety."

"I am also very anxious to see automobile license fees drastically reduced as soon as the farm to market system is completed, and this cannot be done unless the 1-cent gasoline tax increase goes into effect."

Petitions for signatures necessary to refer the gasoline tax question to the people are being distributed at numerous filling stations throughout the state.

Roy F. Britton, president of the Automobile Club of Missouri, said the question of a referendum was submitted the organization's board at Stark in June signed the gasoline tax increase bill and vetoed the bill reducing passenger car licenses by 50 per cent.

The 1-cent increase will produce approximately \$6,000,000 a year for the state road fund.

SALES INCREASE IN RETAIL STORES

Retail sales of 906 independent stores in Missouri showed an increase of 5 1/2 per cent in dollar volume for June, 1937, as compared with the same month of 1935, according to preliminary estimates of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. The largest gains were recorded by Lumber and Building Materials Dealers whose June sales were 14 per cent over June last year. Florists recorded a 13 per cent gain and Department Store sales were up 9 per cent. The only decreases from last June were shown by Jewelry Stores and Motor Vehicle Dealers.

This report, which covers the larger independent stores, represents 21 kinds of business, 4 of which, due to an insufficient number of returns, are contained in miscellaneous groups.

When adjusted for the number of working days, but not for seasonal influences, June, 1937 sales showed a decline of 10 per cent from May, 1937. Without adjustment either for the number of working days or for seasonal influences, June sales were about 7 per cent below sales for May. There was one less working day in May than in June.

The city of Joplin reported the greatest gain in total sales over June of last year with an increase of 10 per cent, other changes for the cities shown ranging down to the 3 per cent gain reported for both Kansas City and Springfield. Sales in cities with a population of 25,000 to 50,000 recorded the greatest gain with an increase of 10 per cent from last June followed by the 100,000 and over group with a gain of 7 1/2 per cent. No change in sales volume was recorded from merchants in areas with a population under 2,500.

COLLINS RELIEF OVER \$2,000 MARK

Reading in the Democrat where the Collins relief fund had reached an amount just \$2.65 less than \$2,000, a Sedalia woman, who asked that her name be withheld, sent that amount to the Democrat office to complete the \$2,000. Later Albert Loewer left \$3 at the Third National Bank for the fund, which makes the total \$2,003.

SKULL CRACKED BY FAILURE TO HEED SUPPER CALL

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.—Arthur Forbes was in a serious condition with a cracked skull today because he failed to heed his wife's call to supper.

Police said Mrs. Forbes told them

she called her husband but he continued blissfully asleep on a couch. She said she then rapped him on the head with the heel of her slipper.

Hospital attendants said Forbes' condition was serious.

FIRES ON GROUP OF STRIKERS AT SPRINGFIELD, MO.

23-Year-Old Youth Is Injured By President of Seed Company

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., August 3.—(P)—Caleb Lipscomb 79-year-old president of the Lipscomb Grain and Seed Company, in which a strike is being conducted here, late today fired a shotgun blast into 23-year-old Mark Hunt, who was standing in a cluster of strikers and strike sympathizers outside the mill.

Lipscomb, a pioneer Socialist, charged that Hunt was hurling rocks at the truck of Ola Farwell, Eureka Springs, Ark., who was loading at the Lipscomb dock. Lipscomb told Detectives Baker, Owen and E. George Spencer, who investigated the shooting, that he fired at Hunt to drop a rock, and yelled at the youth refused to raise his hands.

Hunt, driver for a beer company, is in a hospital here. Bird shot was scattered from his shanks to his ears, about 50 of them lodging in his upper legs and abdomen. Physicians said that they will not be able to tell how seriously he is injured until today.

J. P. Baker, president of the Grain Processors local, which is conducting the ten-day old strike, denied that any rocks had been hurled. Farwell, however, was reported by police as supporting Lipscomb's statement, and Hunt told the detectives that he had seen some rocks thrown, although he was unable to give names of any of those who had taken part in the alleged barrage.

Earlier Monday Beach Egbert, temporary loading dock foreman at the mill, was wounded in the cheek when a half inch ball bearing, apparently thrown from a slingshot, sailed through a door and into the mill. More than a dozen shot smashed through mill windows today, Lipscomb declared.

The aged mill president went voluntarily to police headquarters, taking his shotgun with him. He was questioned by officers from the prosecuting attorney's office.

Lipscomb was released last night after being questioned at length by Assistant Prosecutor John F. Carr. Police, however, kept him.

Carr said a thorough investigation of the entire affair would be made by the prosecutor's staff. Employees of the mill will be questioned, Carr said, as will union men "if they come to the office."

Whether charges will be filed against Lipscomb depends entirely on what the investigation discloses, Carr said.

BRIEF SESSION BY COUNCIL MONDAY

Maybe it was because of the heat, maybe just because there was little business to transact, but regardless of the reason the city council convened promptly at 8 o'clock Monday night and all business was transacted and Alderman Ernest Martin had moved to adjourn in just one half hour.

An application from Arthur and Stella Crandall, to have their residence property, on the southwest corner of Broadway and Osage rezoned from zone A, residence property, to zone E, business property, was referred to the zoning committee.

An amendment to the present ordinance regulating motor passenger buses, read for the first time, makes it an offense for any one to park a car, other than the motor buses in the bus zone.

Cruston Clark, first extra fireman and Willis Jabas, second extra, were named members of the department.

A letter from F. G. Buchanan, M-K-T agent, was read, asking the city's consideration in taking over some lights at railroad crossings. The city clerk was instructed to write him that the city does not feel, at the present time, the request can be granted.

CLUB GIRLS HAD PARENTS GUESTS

The Oak Grove 4-H Supper-Breakfast club held its final meeting of the season Thursday evening at the park.

This meeting was in the form of a club supper at which time the seven club girls entertained their parents. The girls cooked and served the supper themselves. Their menu was fried chicken, potato salad, slaw, sliced tomatoes and cottage cheese, whole wheat bread, grape punch and apple pudding.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mawhorter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holmes, George Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mawhorter, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shull, Mrs. Redfield, Gordon and Oliver Redfield, Mrs. Augusta Wilson, Misses Mary Jane and Doris Card of Kansas City, Master Nelson Parish of Huntsville, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ferguson.

The club girls present were: Betty Holmes, Betty Redfield, Ivern England, Elsie Mawhorter, Margaret Ferguson, Geraldine and Maxine Mawhorter.

10-Year-Old Sedalian Wants To Be Printer

Locates Father's Missing Hand Press; Tours Democrat Plant



Robert Shaffer

"I want to see your printing press," piped a 10-year-old lad, craning his neck over the business office counter of The Sedalia Democrat-Capital.

"Well, sonny," replied the manager, "the press is not running this morning; perhaps you had better come back this afternoon."

"No," came the determined negative from sonny, "I want to see it now."

With this introduction came the unfolding of a story of youthful ambition that may well serve as an example of how many a successful business man gets his start. Sensing quickly that here was a lad apart from the usual 10-year-old crowd, the manager shuttled aside pressing business matters.

Visits Pressroom

So elder and youth departed to the cavernous mystery of The Democrat's pressroom. En route the lad revealed that he was Robert K. Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Shaffer, 901 South Prospect avenue, and, surprisingly, that he was quite familiar with the parlance of print-shop jargon.

Robert's enthusiasm over the huge new 16-page Duplex tubular plate press, became contagious. The editor, the photo-engraver and the pressman were soon on the trail of this amazing feature possibility. The engraver had Bob sitting on a chair in the dark depths of his sanctum, facing a camera like a veteran politician, except that he was a little concerned lest he was not "cleaned up enough to have my picture taken."

The reason for the boy's keen interest in the press became apparent when under questioning he told of acquiring a small hand-operated press with which he intends to start up in business for himself. He was thrilled when the pressman consented to push the electric button contact that caused the huge press to make several revolutions just to see "how it worked."

Thus began a journey through the entire plant to see the linotypes and the Associated Press news printers in operation. He frequently commented on and called the names of various printing devices that the layman are complete mysteries, such as line galleys, sticks, wood block bases, fonts of type, etc.

"How did you get so far up town," was a question with others that led Robert to explain his unexpected visit.

Runs Soda Pop Stand

"I like to go around and find out things," the youngster explained. "My sister, Rose Marie, who works in an Ohio avenue store wanted some soda pop. You know I run a stand on Main street where my father owns the Shaffer Engineering Co. So I delivered the pop and thought that while I was so near The Democrat I would come over and see you."

Ready For Business
"Now I've got the press, and I'm going to start in business. I have it at father's shop. I have two standard type cases and am going to get some more type fonts and rollers. I learned about type and printing terms from reading catalogues. I wrote for: I can print up to 5x8 stationery and cards. I have to set everything by hand. You sure would have to set an awful lot of type by hand to print The Democrat."

"Well, so long. Dad may be worrying about me being gone, and I want to go downstairs and see the big press again before going back to my soda stand to work."

THE READ HOME

The lovely home and lawn of Mrs. E. B. Read was the scene of an enjoyable party given by Miss Estalyn Purchase for the Quisenberry Youth Association.

Outdoor games and stunts were enjoyed by the following guests and members. Misses Marie Mergen, Irene and Mary Elizabeth Flammang, Ruth Chappell, Dorothy Read, Mary Alice Donahoe, Lois and Ruth Ratcliff, Zola Mae Jones and Mary Kendrick; Messrs. Carl Johnson, Jimmy Jones, Harold Niece, Orin Chappell, Melvin Love, John Rayl, Everett Hancock, Elmer Read, Harold Close, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Read, Estalyn Purchase and Mrs. E. B. Read.

Dainty refreshments were served late in the evening by the hostess.

TIMELY STATISTICS ON RETAIL SALES

A series of timely statistics dealing with the sales of 21 kinds of independent retail stores in 14 states is now being issued by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. These bulletins show the percentage of increase or decrease in sales for most of the kinds of business covered from the same month of the previous year and from the previous month of the current year.

These figures, which are released within thirty days after the close of the month covered, furnish a valuable indication as to the current trend of retail trade.

Basic information used is secured by the cooperation of more than 12,000 progressive independent retailers who report their sales each month to the Bureau on a very simple form. In return they receive a complete and detailed bulletin for their own state.

Independent retailers wishing to cooperate and receive this service should write to the Marketing Research Division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Washington, D. C.

NEAR 200 DIE IN TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Weekend traffic accidents on the nation's highways left almost 200 dead and many hundred injured.

Fifty-seven persons were reported drowned over the nation while other violent means took 19 lives.

New York and California led in fatalities with 16 each. Ohio and Michigan each counted 15 and Pennsylvania and Texas each had 12.

There were seven deaths in Missouri.

REVEALED 427 PERISHED DUE TO VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS

CANBERRA, Australia, Aug. 2.—A census of survivors showed today that 427 persons were killed in a series of volcanic eruptions at Rabaul, on the Australian mandated island of New Britain, May 30 to June 7. Fifty bodies have been recovered thus far.

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